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Town Votes Reappraisal - Town Engineer - Rezoning

The Town of Wilmington in annual Town Meeting last Saturday in Villanova Hall, voted for Reappraisal of all taxable property in Wilmington, after a long debate on the floor, to hire a Town Engineer, and to rezone a large part of North Wilmington as a light industrial district. The will of the people, as expressed by 404 voters present, increased the budgets of the Fire and Police Departments, the Recreation Commission, and Civil Defense, over Finance Committee recommendations. In other matters the Finance Committee was generally sustained, particularly in relation to the Highway Department budget, which the Town Manager wanted increased.

For the first time in years a sum of other than $30,000 was voted for Water Extensions - $15,000, together with authority of the Water Extension Committee to make a searching analysis of the problems of Water Extensions, and to report next year.

The Opening

The meeting began at 1:45 p.m., with Moderator Simon Cutter in the chair. The Rev. Edmund Croke, of St. Thomas of Villanova, led the town in the Lord's Prayer, and the Pledge of Alligiance was made. Chairman Joseph Woods of the Board of Selectmen moved that the town vote its appreciation to St. Thomas Church, for the use of the hall, and this was done.

Reports

Under Article 2, several committees moved that their reports be taken up at other times in the meeting. Steven Wendell, of the Fire Sub-Station committee, reported that they had found a great need for a station in the Silver Lake area, that this area was cut off 22 times a day by trains on the Wildcat railroad, that the insurance rate was 35 cents per hundred, as compared to 18 cents per hundred elsewhere. A site was recommended on the East side of Silver Lake, with a 2 bay station, of cinder blocks and stucco, a crew of five men, with an International Truck, equipped with a tank and other apparatus. Estimates of the cost of building, land and truck amounted to $41,500. Wages for a five man crew $18,000 Proposed was a $40,000 bond issue, 10 years, at 2½ per cent. Total cost for building, etc, for the first year would be $23,680. After ten years this would drop to $18,780 a year.

The committee recommended that it be extended for one year, for further study, and this was voted.

The Wildwood School Committee, through Alan Shephard, reported that the building had been 99 percent paid for, and the remaining payment would be made after some adjustments had been agreed upon, in relating to the heating plant. The report was accepted.

The High School Building Committee, through Fred Corum, reported that the addition was 33 percent complete, that they expected that all classrooms would be ready. "Wilmington's next annual Town Meeting can be held in it's own hall." Carl Salmonsen, of Parker Street extension took the microphone, to tell the town that the Wildwood School cost $1,500,000. "Think that over ladies and gentlemen!"

Article 3
(The Budget)

Moved by Herbert Barrows, chairman of the Finance Committee, that the budget be voted item by item, as recommended by the Finance Committee, subject to amendment from the floor. Mr. Barrows spoke

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RAYMOND CLIFFORD HOMEWARD BOUND

PFC Raymond O. Clifford who has been stationed in Germany for quite some time, has just notified us that he no longer desires to receive the Crusader, not because he doesn't like the paper, but because he is close to coming home. Raymond plans to leave Germany sometime this month and he does not seem to be heartbroken.

LEGION NEWS

The regular meeting of the Wilmington Post 136, AL will be postponed from March 17th to March 24th, due to the numerous activities taking place on the 17th, Commander Nicholas DeFelice has announced.

Service Officer Arthur B. Harper will be at the Legion Hall on the First Tuesday of each month, from 7 to 9 p.m., to assist any veteran, or dependent, or widow, in any way.

LIONS CLUB NOMINATION NIGHT WEDNESDAY

Wednesday evening at the regular meeting of the Wilmington Lions Club the nominating committee will present for consideration by the Lions a full slate of officers for the coming year. This will include: King Lion, First, Second and Third Vice Presidents, Treasurer, Secretary, Tail Twister, Lion Tamer and members of the Board of Directors. It is hoped that all local Lions will attend this very important meeting.

RED CROSS AWARDED MANY LIFE SAVING CERTIFICATES

Mr. Lawrence Cushing, director of Recreation for the town of Wilmington, has received word fro mthe Lowell Chapter of the American Red Cross complimenting Mr. Edward "Eddie" Forrest head lifeguard at the Silver Lake Beach for his fine work in handling water safety instruction during the summer program.

Instruction was given to over two-hundred children and adults, and included beginners, junior-life saving, senior life-savings and advanced instruction. Several of the adults have been certified to instruct classes of their own through Mr. Forrest's close observation and help.

Although many of the certificates have been issued by Mr. Forrest the balance of them may be obtained by contacting Mr. Cushing of the recreation department. Among those who qualifed are listed the following:

Beginners in swimming: Phyllis Marshall, Mike Moore, Patricia Kelly, Nancy Bryant, David Jackman, Len Bryant, Beverly Fiddler, Beverly Bryant, Esther Fiddler, Alice Perry, Eddie Izzo, Donna Sutton, Thomas, George LaFlonatis, Donna Sutton, Tho. O'Brien, Catherine Richards, Alan Newell, Deborah Newell, Phillip Lynch, Robert Ruggoletti, Ruth Ann Strobe, Arthur Kelly, Donald Luke, Pauline Marshall, James O'Brien, Paul Bulucki, Donald Smallidge, Dorothy Sudds, John Cavanaugh, Derek McAnLean, Richard McAnLean, Joyce McAndrew, Edna O'Connor, James Luck, Winnie McCormack, Debra McCarthy, Robert Gangnon, Cathy McCormack, Richard Allard, Richard Woller, Jackie Baldwin, Rita Chisholm, Marilyn Carr, Larry Carr, Gerry Fidler, Jean Sidelinker, Alice Marie Chisholm, Ken Wilson, Janice Mazzo, William Wilson, Clair Gagnon, Maralyn Goosney, John Moor, Judith White and Paul Beloky.

Junior Life Saving certifiates: Thomas Allan, Kathleen Bickford, Thomas Bickford, Dan Burbine, Elaine Carmichael, William Carmichael, James Castalano, Lawrence Chisholm, Ann Crispo, Charles Cushing, Walter Danico, Marie Deegan, Nick DeFeliqe, Judy Gratcyk, Richard Hollien, Pat Hyatt, John Johnston, Ronald John-Johnston, Wilfred Laurin, Larry Leavitt, Bernard Madore, James Malloy, Thomas McGuiness, Loretta Paulmear, Joe Pitts, John Plummer, Larry Plummer, Charles Preston, Ronald Pupa, Paul Ryan, John Rynne, Eddie Sawyer, Peter Sufredini, Charles Sweet, Dan Tauges, William Thompson, and Eddie Yourell.

Qualified Swimmers: Thomas Bowen, Kathleen Calnan, Ross Coombs, Carol Fuller, Yvonne Gagnon, Ronald Kelly, Fred McAndrew, Thomas McAndrew, Sandra McGonagle, Paul Meads, and John Pederson.

LOST

Ladies eye glasses. Two tone brown and beige. Lost three weeks ago. If found, phone Alice Murphy at OL 8-3648.

WWCC WHIST

The West Wilmington Community Club will conduct a whist party, at the clubhouse, on Forest Street, on Tuesday March 22nd, at 8 p.m. Mrs. Kozulkevitch is the chairman. Refreshments will be served, and the party is public.

LITTLE LEAGUE MEETING

The Wilmington Little League, meeting, tonight, will start with a spaghetti supper, at 7:30 p.m. at-Rocco's The business meeting will begin at 8:30. President John Ritchie will preside.

DAUGHTER TO HEBERT HADLEY'S

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hadley of Forest Street announce the birth of a daughter, Sandra Jean (their first child) on March 3rd, in the Winchester Hospital. Mr. Hadley is an Electronic Technician in the United States Navy. and Mrs. Hadley is the former Shirley Wilkish.

SON TO THE JIMMY MANN FAMILY

of Taft Road anounce the

Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Mann, birth of a son, Alan James, in the Winchester Hospital on February 27th. Alan has an older sister, Marilyn, and brother William.

RUTH GRATCYK ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mrs. Ruth M. Gratcyk, 34 Grove Avenue, was elected Chairman of the Wilmington School Committee, in a meeting on March 10th. Mrs. Gratcyk had won an easy victory on her recent bid for re-election, with her service on the previous board being heartily endorsed by the voters.

Due to the illness of her husband, Mrs. Gratcyk was unaware of her election until hours after the event. She was in a Boston hospital, where her husband is a patient, at the time of the meeting, and was informed of the event, and her election, later in the evening, on her return.

Elected Vice Chairman was John F. Hartnett, of Woburn Street, North Wilmington, and elected Secretary was James B. Moore of Truman Road, North Wilmington.

LITTLE GIRL UNINJURED IN ACCIDENT

Linda Lee Adams, 19 months old, has just a little bump on her forehead to show for her experience Linda was run over, by an automobile, near her home yesterday.

Wallace R. Collins, 16 Emerson Avenue, Dracut, had stopped to ask Linda's mother for directions. The little girl wandered off, and Mrs. Adams believed her to be with another woman, nearby. Wallace, unable to see the girl in front of his car, started up, and she was knocked down flat, on her stomach. The car passed over her. A bystander reported that she attempted to raise her head, but was prevented from doing so, by her snowsuit.

A quick trip to the North Reading Sanitorium verified the fact that Linda was uninjured.

THE ROD AND GUN CLUB TALKS AGAIN

The Wilmington Rod and Gun Club is very proud and grateful that the voters of Willmington, who at last Saturday's town meeting, proved they have confidence and faith in our young organization by allowing us a chance to prove ourselves, and handle the problem of careless use of firearms in town. We shall strive to uphold your good faith.

We will continue our proposed activities as outlined in the last issue of the Crusader. We regret the tract of land we contemplated purchasing has been sold. So consequentlly we are again looking for land in a safe area. Should you have a suitable parcel of land for sale please contact us.

The club, in conjunction with the publishers of the Crusader, are planning a weekly article to keep the townspeople posted on our progress, and informed of the current sporting activities about town. We are hopefull that it will prove interesting to all.

We suggest you watch these future articles for a children's contest to be held in the near future.

As we previously promised we will gladly post the 500 foot safety zone area around your dwelling. For this service contact Charlie Webster at OLiver 8-3161.

This coming Sunday the club is holding a supervised informal skeet shot at Jenk's sandpit on Woburns Street. Everyone is invited. We have a small supply of various gauge shells available at club prices. If you have your own shells bring them.

We are rapidly expanding our membership. The club has already grown to over eighty members. If you are interested in hunting, fishing, trapping, training dogs, outdoor life, or just like to get together, we invite you to attend our next meeting (no strings attached). Watch this article for the time and place. If you would like to join the dues are only one dollar a year. You can get an application card from any member, or call OL 8-2978 or 8-3271.

I you have any conservation problems give us a call.

That's about does it, see you next week.

DOG BITE SENDS BOY TO HOSPITAL

James Cosman, 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Cosman of Salem Street (Elmwood Village), was bitten in he left leg, Tuesday afternoon and rushed to Woburn's Choate Memorial Hospital, for treatment, in the Police Cruiser. The boy later returned home.

SAFETY LECTURE FOR STUDENTS

Safety Lectures, and Safety Films, in the Wildwood School, and the Walker School, yesterday afternoon, were seen by the pupils of the two schools.

Participating in the program were William Higgins, of the Registry of Motor Vehicles, Lawrence Cushing, Supervisor of Physical Education in the public schools, and Patrolman John Imbimbo, of the Wilmington Police.

LAUNDROMAT ROBBED

Money and clothing were stolen, in a night-time break, at the Wilmington Laundromat, on Main Street, Monday night. Officers George Shepard and John Imbimbo of the Wilmington Police, investigating a report by Joseph A. Grimes, proprietor, found that entry was made by forcing a window, in back, in the boiler room. An attempt had been made to enter the Merrimac Cleaners, next door, but unsuccessfully. File marks were found on the door.

CONGREGATIONAL NEWS

Young people's Lenten services are held in the Methodist Church on Tuesday and the Congregational Church on Thursday, at 8 a.m.

The Congregational Couple's Club will hold a covered dish supper at the church on Friday at 7 p.m., with entertainment following.

Following the service on Sunday morning there will be an opportunity for all who so desire to contribute to the One Great Hour Sharing, which is conducted annually in the United States.

The weekly choir rehearsal will be held on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

The monthly meeting of the Finance Committee will be held at the home of the chairman, Robert Ramsdell, on Tuesday, March 22nd, at 8 p.m.

The re-consecration of the sanctuary, which was to have taken place next Sunday, March 20th, has been postponed until March 27th at 11:00 a.m. The work of remodelling is expected to be completed this week, but it is felt advisable to postpone using the room until it is thoroughly ready for use.

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ALONG "38"

by eddie ford

MR. and Mrs. CARL COSTELLO, the proprietors of Carl and Marie's restaurant in Wilmington were surprised when a friend informed them that their son, Pfc. Bernard E. Costello, who is in Germany, was going to be interviewed from there, and that station WLLH in Lowell would broadcast it on "Question Box," Saturday, March 12th, at 12:30 to 12:45. They were home to hear it, and sure enough, it was Bernard.

HAVE YOU BY CHANCE noticed the attractive clock on the wall of the Country Style Do-Nut Shop. It was put in there by Lindsey Bouvier of Bouvier's Watch Repair on 354 Middlesex Avenue, in North Wilmington. . . . While we're ON THE SUBJECT OF MR. BOUVIER, I was priviledged to get a peek at his twins, Mark and Michael, who are now at the ripe old age of 6 months.

ST. DOROTHY'S PARISH is going to hold a St. Patrick's Celebration Whist Party tonight at 8:30. If you should chance to read this today, try to get down there and join in on the fun. If you should read this Thursday . . . well . . . it was last night.

DID'JA EVER see such nice personalities as Rita and Mrs. Buckley at Weinberg's Department Store. Two real fine gals.

ALL THE FRIENDS of Mrs. Pauline Black wish her a speedy recovery.

A CHANGE HAS BEEN MADE in the date of the Benefit Whist Party for the William Mead Fund to April 19th.

Instead of April 11 as I stated last week. There will also be a Penny Sale after the whist party. Volunteers are wanted to help in this affair. Up to the present time, donaters have already come forth. Wilmington's Country Style Do-Nut Shop and Tunney's Warehouse Furniture are among the first to help out. I will publish the names of the business places and persons in this column as long as they have no objections.

*Oh! St. Patrick was a gentleman
Who came of decent people;
He built a church in Dublin town,
And on it put a steeple.

"THE APOSTLE OF IRELAND," was the title the Irish people gave to St. Patrick, though for the authenticity of the birthplace and the year of the birth of this man that converted the Irish people into christianity, is obscure.

He studied at Auxerre, in France. In the year, 44 he went to Rome, and returned to Ireland as the archbishop of Armagh. In the year 457, he retired from active work. Among some of his books was one called, "The Cry of the Deer."

MANY A FINE LAD, whether he come from the "old sod," or is a descendent of folks who did, will celebrate this Thursday in the wearing of the green. Many an aspirin, alka seltzer or even good old baking soda, will be the entree at breakfast on Friday a.m.

LIKE CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE or a shamrock on a coat lapel, St. Patrick's Day would not be complete without a "Pat and Mike" story.

It seems that Pat and Mike got a job with a furniture moving company. Their first job was to move a piano from a third story flat.

The boss said, "Pat, you stay down on the street and guide the ropes so they won't tagle." Then he said to Mike, "Mike, you stay at the window on the second story to guide the piano when it is coming down."

He took the rest of the crew up to the third floor t put the piano out of the window. While the crew was putting the piano out of the window, the piano slipped and began to fall to the street. Pat, who had a strong grip on the rope took off for the third floor. Mike on the second floor saw Pat go by on his way up and looked up to see what was happening, when Pat banged his head on the rigging and started back down to the street. Mike rushed down to the sidewalk and lifted Pat into his arms and began to cry. "Pat! Pat! me boy, speak to me." He repeated this several times when Pat opened one eye and looked up at him and said, "I just passed you twice, and you didn't speak to me."

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JEANNE MAKES THE GRAND SWEEP

Jeanne Ashworth, of Church Street, receiving the trophy as Intermediate Girls Speed Champion, at the North American Indoors Contests, in Milwaukee, last week. The Wisconsin Skating Association and the Miller Brewing Company were co-sponsors of the event. Presenting the trophy is Eugene McGrath, Director of the Meet.

Jeanne is now the second girl, in North America, to hold an Indoor and Outdoors Championship at the same time. The only other person to do this is Janet Backman Tighe, of Chestnut Street.

INTRA MURAL BASKETALL

The Penguins are ahead, in the High School Intra Mural Basketball league. A new departure, (relatively new) in Wilmington High School, the boys now have a league, wherein they play each other, perhaps on the theory that a little practice at home will help them, when they get to facing the away-from-home teams.

A total of four games have been played, up to the end of Monday, in the Wildwood School gymnasium. Leading the League are the Penguins, composed of Dick Moore, Jimmy Marsi and Dick Ethier, Juniors, and Dick Hoban and Jerry Maloney, Sophomores. They have won both games in which they played. In the Penguins Dick Ethier seems to be leading in field goals, with Dick Moore in second place.

Leading the league, however, is Sam Cavallaro, a sophomore. Sam is an all-round sportsman, who will probably be heard of, this coming fall, in the football team. He racked up 23 points, in a game between his team, (the Earth Angels) and the Purple Rocks, last Monday. Second in the league is Frank Stone, of the Purple Rocks. Stone racked off 11 points in the same game. This is Stone's first appearance in High School sports. Fred Thorpe, of the Bandits, leads his team, and is in third place in the league, for scoring. He scored 19 points, against the Pioneers.

Standing, to Monday evening: Penguins won 2, lost 0; Pioneers won 1, lost 0, Purple Rocks won 1, lost 1; Bandits won 0 lost 1, and Earth Angels won 0, lost 2.

YOUNG PEOPLE CAN HELP OUT—AND ENJOY IT

As those who have attended the early rehearsals will agree, St. Thomas Holy Name Minstrel Show is a terrific opportunity for the young people of Wilmington to have plenty of fun out of helping a good cause.

Mr. Jim Moore of Malden, who has donated his services as director of the show, has such a dynamic personality and infectious enthusiasm that even the stodgiest person at the rehearsal can't help enjoying himself.

There will be a rehearsal at Villanova Hall tonight, Wednesday, March 16, at 8 o'clock and another next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. At these rehearsals, Mr. Moore would like to see every teen-ager in town, and also everyone, young or old, who has any talent at all, whether it is singing, tap dancing, soft shoe, playing an instrument, comedy or anything else that might be a contribution to a good minstrel show. Those who have no special talent will also be welcomed eagerly, since Mr. Moore plans on quite a big chorus and a few stage numbers involving large groups.

In future weeks, rehearsals will be held on Tuesday evenings and Sunday afternoons, and all those who participate are assured that for the next seven or eight weeks they will have a really enjoyable interest to occupy their spare time.

CHARLES WESLEY LEE
Wilmingtons Oldest Resident

Charles Wesley Lee, the oldest man in Wilmington, died in a Lowell hospital on March 9th, as the result of a fall, in his home, in which he had broken his hip. Mr. Lee had been getting out of bed, at the time of the accident, in his new home at 1 Powder House Circle.

Mr. Lee was born in Pelham, Mass. on Jan 19 ,1860, the son of the Rev. and Mrs. John Lee. As a young man he sang in the choir of the Wakefield Methodist Church, and later became organist there, and in other churches. He was a partner in the Wendell Bancroft Coal Company, of Reading, where he had worked for 70 years, and was a Life Member of the Rotary Club of Reading, the Good Samaritan Lodge AF& AM, Security Lodge, IOOF, and the Wakefield Chapter, BPOE. Mr. Lee had been the holder of the Boston Post Gold Cane, for Wilmington, for the past two years.

Mr. Lee married Mary Alice McMahon on Sept. 24, 1921, and moved to Wilmington at that time. He had resided here ever since, except while travling, making his home until recently on Church Street.

Fnueral services were held in the McMahon Funeral Home on March 12th, led by the Rev Richard Harding of the Wilmington Methodist Church. Burial was in Laurel Hill cemetary, in Reading, with the Rev. Harding reading the committal prayers.

RIDE WANTED

From Federal Street, North Wilmington to near Union Square, Somerville arriving between 8 and 8:30. Call OL 8-4771 after 6:30.

TRAIN HITCHHIKERS

Two teen-aged Wilmington boys "jumped" a freight train, on the Wildcat railroad, near Clark Street, on March 10th, about 5 p.m. They were removed from the train in Somerville, on a mesage from the Wilmington police, and returned to Wilmington.

SCRAP COPPER STOLEN FROM RAFFI & SWANSON YARD

Appriximately 1000 pounds of scrap copper wire is missing from the yard of Raffi & Swanson, on Eames Street. The loss was discovered on March 10th, when the day shift arrived, and is believed to have been taken sometime after midnight, last Friday. The lock on the door of the building in which the wire was kept is missing, but police could find no signs of forcible entry.

FINED $50 IN COURT

Walter Parkhurst, 5 Harvard Avenue, was fined $50 in Woburn Court, after he had entered, on March 11th a guilty plea to a charge of operating a car after suspension of a license. Prosecuting were Officers Shepard and Kelley of the Wilmington Police.

ANNOUNCEMENT

"Dr. E. C. MacDougall, 190 Middlesex Avenue, Wilmington, will resume practice March 17, 1955 following his recent illness.

Effective immediately, patients will be seen in the office by appointment. We feel that this will add greatly to their convenience in receiving treatment. We ask your cooperation in this added service by making appointments as far in advance as possible."

Very truly yours,
E. C. MacDougall, M.D.

STOLEN BICYCLE FOUND IN WILMINGTON

A bicycle, property of Bryant Larsen, 26 Carlisle St., Chelmsford, was found at 1 p.m. March 14th, in the rear of St. Thomas Church. It had been stolen, and was returned to its owners by the Wilmington police.

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CARD OF THANKS FROM DR. MacDOUGALL

May I take this opportunity through the Wilmington Crusader to thank the many friends for their hundreds of greeting cards and other measures of showing me many kindnessess during my recent illness. It takes but a moment to say a kind word or send a simple sincere greeting, but the impact of the recipient is a constant boost to hasten his recovery. A sincere thank you to all.

E. C. MacDougall, M.D.

MENTAL HEALTH SHOP

The following have been named to additional committees connected with the Wilmington Mental Health Workshop, being conducted weekly under the direction of Dr. Libbie Bower and Miss Bettina King:

Steering Committee: Mrs. Esther H. Nichols, Mrs. Marjorie Ethier, Mrs. Sybil Wiberg, Mr. Ralph T. Ambrose.

Resource Committee: Miss Ester Conor, Miss Mary McLarnon, Miss Joanne Curran. Evaluation Committee: Mrs. Carol Sears, Mrs. Rose O'Keefe, Miss Anne McParland. Social Committee: Mrs. Mary A. Sweet, Miss Nancy Noble, Mrs. Josephine O'Donnell, Mrs. Sybil Wiber, Mrs. Sybil Wiberg, Mrs. Marjorie Ethier, Mrs. Ruby Fitzsimmons. Publicity Committee: Miss Maurine McSorley, Miss Jean Vayo. Librarian: Mrs. Esther H. Nichols. Registrar: Mrs. Lena Eames.

At this week's meeting, the guest speaker will be Mrs. Rita Williams, associated with the Judge Baker Guidance Clinic. A noted child pychologist, Mrs. Williams will discuss a case, highlighting the teacher's aspect of it. She will show the teachers how supplementary material is helpful in distinguishing the problem child from the normal child, and discuss agencies for helping these children.

The workshop has been in operation for the past month and the weekly meetings have met with enthusiastic response on the part of the participants. Last weeks sessession was devoted to group meetings, followed by a supper at the Wildwood School Cafeteria.

The concluding feature, open to the public, was the showing of a film, "Preface To A Life", a study of a child, and the effect of environment on him in his formative years. Dr. Volta Hall led an interesting discussion following the film.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Mr. Neilson:

Through the columns of your newspaper we wish to thank the town officials and the townspeople who by their favorable vote at the Town Meeting have made it possible for us to buy what was formerly the old Maple Meadow School.

With this continued cooperation, and much hard work we hope the people of Wilmington will learn to know this building as the new Odd Fellows Hall.

This organization, having a hall of its own, will not only grow with the town, but will help the town continue to grow into the type of community in which all will be proud to live. We believe that among our new citizens there must be many members of our organization We woud like to invite them to visit with us. The Odd Fellows meet on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, and the Rebekahs on the 2nd Monday of each month.

Harris Hemeon,
President of the Whitfield Assn, Inc.

Lloyd Laffin,
Noble Grand of the Odd Fellows

Helen O'Hanlon,
Noble Grand of the Rebekahs

RED CROSS APPEAL

Mrs. Robert W. McCabe of 403 Woburn Street, North Wilmington, telephone OL iver 8-2985, is Chairman for the annual March appeal of the Red Cross for funds and memberships, now being conducted in the town of Willmington. She is in need of workers in the Shawsheen, Silver Lake and Federal Garden areas and would appreciate hearing from anyone interested in helping in these sections.

Mrs. McCabe wishes to bring to the attention of the residents of Wilmington the fact that a great deal was accomplished in the town by the Lowell Chapter of the Red Cross in 1954. There were 111 contacts made with families of men in the Armed Forces in verifying emergency leaves, sending reports to the Veterans Administration and the Military and counseling and guiding those in distress.

The Red Cross also equipped seniors and juniors in the techniques of First Aid and Water Safety at Silver Lake. Our new fire house was established as an emergency highway station and given the necessary First Aid supplies.

The Red Cross Motor Corps transported ill patients to hospitals.

There were 5 requests for blood met by the Red Cross, and in so doing lives were saved.

One of the finest samples of rehabilitation was the work done by the Red Cross in rebuilding the home of one of Wilmington's citizens following the huricane in September of 1954. In addition another family, which suffered a fire, were helped with bedding and clothing. The total disaster cost was $3,875.00, and this was given in the form of a gift.

It is hoped that the quota of $1,000.00 will be reached and that we will far exceed the contributions of the previous year, which were $503.54.

INJURY IN RAILROAD YARD

Sydney March, 47 Wilson Street, Tewksbury, received injuries to his left leg, requiring hospitalization, as the result of slipping on ice in the Wilmington Railroad staton yard, on March 8th. He was sent to the Choate Memorial Hospital, in Woburn, in the Burlington ambulance, as the Wilmington ambulance was laid up for repairs.

ST. DOROTHY NEWS

Thursday this week is the feast of St. Patrick, patron saint of the diocese. The law of fast and abstinence does not bind on this day.

Saturday is the feast of St. Joseph, patron of the universal church. The only Mass on that day will be at 9, and this will be a High Mass.

Daily Mass this week at 7. On Friday afternoon there will be Stations of the Cross for the children at 4, and in the evening at 7:45 for the adults.

Choir rehearsal on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons at 3:30.

Records of the Holy Father's voice, with prayer and blessing, on sale for those that want them. These would make ideal gifts.

The Annual Green Whist will be held at the Betterment Hall, at Silver Lake on Wednesday evening, this week. We have all manner of prizes, and the tickets are only 50 cents.

On Friday evening of this week there will be a whist party at the home of Mrs. Feran, on Oak Street, Tewskbury.

Next Sunday we will have a scrap metal drive. Please leave any odd pieces of zinc, copper, brass, and lead outside your homes, and the men of the parish will pick it up after 1 o'clock. This project is for our own parish. We do not want iron.

The diocesan paper drive will be announced later.

Next Sunday is communion for all the girls of the parish. All grammar and high school girls must go to confession.

St. John, Kan., News: "Time was, not so long ago, when the storekeeper braced himself for Saturday, knowing that he would make his weekly monetary kill that day . . .Saturday was the big buying day. Barbers scraped and clipped early and late, movies were jammed, cars were stacked all over the place. Trading habits have changed with home freezers, and automobiles for every day shopping. . . .

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GREATER BOSTON STUDENTS WIN AAA TRAFFIC SAFETY POSTER CONTEST

Three Greater Boston students were winners in the American Automobile Association's annual regional traffic safety poster contest the Massachusetts division announced today.

Deirdre Fahey, 17, of 49 Grove Street, Belmont took the prize in the high school division; Edwar T. Lynskey, 15, 82 Fisher Ave., Roxbury won the Junior High School competition and Elizabeth Smith, 11, of 18 Stanley Road, Belmont won top prize in the elementary series. They competed with over 200 entries.

Regional prizes, which included U.S. Defense Bonds and a Gift Bond for art supplies, were presented to the young art students by Robert S. Kretschmar, manager of the Massachusetts division AAA. Judges were Elizabeth H. Gilligan, art director, Boston Public Schools; Sister Vincent de Paul, art supervisor, Notre Dame Training School, Waltham and Bruce Palmer, assistant director of divisions, American Automobile Association, Washington, D.C.

All posters entered in the Massachusetts contest have been sent to AAA headquarters in Washington, D. C. to compete for national prizes totaling more than $3,175. in the AAA's 11th. annual Traffic Safety Poster Contest. First prize in the national contest will be a one-year scholarship to an art school. They will compete with posters sent from schools throughout the nation.

Designed to encourage youngsters to learn and obey traffic safety rules, the contest helps cut down traffic accidents among children through safety education in the nation's schools. The ten top winning posters are reproduced and distributed free, each month, to more than 150,000 elementary schools throughout the country during the school year.

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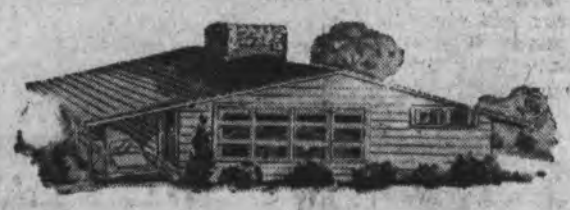

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ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

Every now and then something will occur that is trivial, but, at least to some people, amusing. We observe such things, from time to time, and try to report them, but generally with unexpected results. It would seem that reporting trivial items isn't always as trivial as it may seem. (No pun intended)

Take our TM., and his Boards and Committees He has an expression "tremendous charge", which he uses occasionally, in talking of events and occurences. The TM got a "tremendous charge" from an event of last Wednesday. We hope we can convey properly the story, as one of the lighter things in the life of a town government.

The Water Extention Committee, this year, happens to comprise the same individuals as the Capital Outlay Committee. This group was picked by the TM because they are all independently minded, and by no means "Yes Men", and the TM admits that they have given him more than one surprise, by throwing aside a pet idea of his, to go for something else. The Board disagrees plenty, in its deliberations, but they generally come around to the same way of thinking. One of the individuals is Bill Berry, a relative newcomer, who also happens to be President of the Shawsheen Avenue Association. Bill is a worker, from the word go, and like the rest of the committee, he will argue at the drop of a hat.

Last Wednesday the Board of Health paid a visit to the Water Extension Committee, to plead for water on a certain street. The committee, in the past week, had considered this street, and turned it down, and it was this that caused the Board of Health to pay their visit. Acting as the principal spokeman was Frank Haggerty, the chairman. Frank comes from Hathaway Acres, and is quite outspoken at times. He came to this meeting loaded for bear.

What Frank didn't know was that the committee had already voted to reconsider the street in question, and that they had been discussing it for 15 mniutes, when he arrived in the committee-room. He started in, immediately, and for five minutes advanced his arguments. His manner was such as to imply that he would continue the arguments all night, if necessary..

Finally he paused for a second or two. Bill Berry saw his chance, and spoke up "You are absolutely right, Frank!".

The surpise was too much for Haggerty. He sat back and was almost quiet for the rest of the visit.

SOUTH OF THE RIVER

Mrs. Jack M. Tuell
OLiver 8-3053

Mrs. Merton Curtis, of Salem Road, is home from the hospital, after a prolonged stay. She is still confined to bed, but is rapidly recovering her strength.

The newly organized Lion's Club of Tewksbury recently held their Charter Night, at a restaurant in Lowell. The new organization was presented their Charter by Mr. James Miller, District Governor, which was accepted by Stanley Richey, the President. Nels A. Palm, Jr., President of the Chelmsford Lions' Club, sponsors of the new group, presented the Club with their Gong and Gavel. Mr. John Sullivan, Chairman of the Tewksbury Board of Selectmen, brought greetings of the town. The new officers are: President, Mr. Richey; First Vice President, Harry Patterson; Second Vice President George DeSilva; Third Vice President, Raymond Bates; Secretary, Roy Curseaden, Jr.; Treasurer John Eaton; Lion Twister, Allen Wilson. Directors are: Abbott Battles, John Hart, Stephen Condrey and Rene Payette. Charter members include, the above officers, and the following men: Thomas Johnson, Jr., George Doulames, Lenox Karner, Harold Vinecour, Anthony Belida, Arthur Wells, Charles Messer, Arthur Boisvert, Ralph Garland, Ernest Broadbent, John Scott, Berchmans Rousseau, Jesse Labonte, Joseph Canavan, Omer Blanchard, Walter Deputat, Fred King, Herbert Patterson, Edward Santos and William Houlihan.

The So. Tewksbury Methodist Church held their first session of The School of Missions, with a light supper, a discussion of "Why Be Concerned about the City,'' led by Rev. Allan Moore, of the Wesley Methodist Church of Salem, and Mrs. Jean Toothaker, for the adults, while Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tuell led the youth in their discussion. Rev. Tae Sun Park, minister, and former chief of Chaplains for the South Korean Army spoke to the assembled group on experiences of Christians living under Communist rule.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hinton, Sr. have recently returned home from a short vacation spent in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jones, of Oliver Street, are the happy parents of a daughter, Debbie Sue, born on March 3rd at the Lawrence Hospital.

Miss Barbara Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, of South Street, in the Lowell General Hospital, recovering from surgery. Mrs. Rowland Crocker is also at Lowell General.

Mrs. Harriet Forman, and Mrs. Dorothy Minklein and their younger children had a short vacation in Florida, where they were joined by their father Mr. William C. Willis. They returned home last week by way of Ohio.

The So. Tewksbury Methodist Church had the following service and activities last week: Wednesday, Carolers Choir, 3:15; Chancel Choir, 7:00 p.m. Girl's Club at 6:30. Thursday, Bible Group, at the home of Mrs. Edward Brabant, 1:00 p.m.; Kum Dubble Club, 8:00 p.m. Friday, Boy's Club 7:00 p.m. Saturday, Church membership Class for young people, 9:00 a.m. at the Parsonage. Movies, crafts, songs and games for young children, at the church 2:00 p.m. Sunday, Morning worship 8:45 and 11:00 a.m. Church school at 9:45 a.m. Methodist Youth Fellowship 5:30 p.m. School of Missions 6:00 p.m. There were colored slides shown during the study hour, and Mrs. Emil Hartl, wife of the director of Morgan Memorial was the evening speaker. Fellowship Group at 8:45 p.m. Monday, Membership Class for adults 7:00 p.m. at the church. Official Board meeting, 8:00 p.m. at the church.

PENGUINS TOP EARTH ANGELS, 59—47

In the initial game of the inter-mural basketball schedule at the Wildwood School, the Penguins downed the Earth Angels by a score of 59—47. The Penguins' Smith was the games high scorer, with 23 points, while Cavallaro netted 22 for the losers. With their first win under their belts, the Penguins are looking forward to meeting the Seniors.

Box score:

Penguins			
Moore	10	3	23
Hoban	5	1	11
Maloney	2	5	9
Either	5	1	11
Marsi	2	1	5
Total	24	11	59

Earth Angels			
Cavallaro	9	4	22
Barboza	1	3	5
Amaro	0	0	0
Smith	9	2	20
Brown	0	0	0
Total	19	7	47

"HOUSE OF PRAYER" SEMMON TOPIC AT METHODIST CHURCH

Following the reading of the scripture lesson from the 11th Chapter of the Gospel according to St. Mark the Rev. Richard E. Harding preached last Sunday, on the theme: "House of Prayer." This theme is based on an incident recorded in the 11th chapter where Jesus drives the money changers out of the temple. The text selected was: "My house shall be called a house of prayer for all nations. But you have made it a den of robbers."

"Such a strong verbal attack by Jesus," says Mr. Harding, "is a constant reminder to everyone of us as to the essential purpose of the church." "In light of many legal battles over gaming for charitable and religious purposes, it would be well to feel the impact of Jesus' message . . . But you have made it a den of thieves!" "The manner in which we give our time, resources, and prayers to help build God's Kingdom on earth, must always be consistent with the practices God would condone if His Kingdom were already here." "Our means do not justify our ends, they always determine them."

The sacrament of infant baptism was observed during the worship services and parents desiring to have their children baptised were asked to get in touch with Mr. Harding durng the week.

Ahavath Achem D'Aaron Purim Testival

The Congretion of Ahavath Achem D'Aaron Synagogue of Wilmington held their annual Purim festivities at the home of Mrs. Ida Schwartz, 177 Salem Street, Tewksbury, Tuesday evening, March 8th.

The President of the Congregation, Albert Kaufman, extended welcome greetings to members and guests from Chelsea, Wilmington, Billerica and Tewksbury.

Mr. Morris Modelle led the Purim services and was ably assisted by Mr. H. Haluerson, Mr. Albert Kaufman, and Mr. Harry Solow.

Traditional Purim delicacies were donated by Mrs. Albert Kaufman, and were served by the following hostesses: Mr. Ida Schwartz, Mrs. Morris Modelle, and Mrs. Jack Kornetsky.

Mrs. Morton Levine was the recipient of the Purim prize, a gold relish tray, which was donated by Mrs. Edward Harris.

At the conclusion of the festivities, it was announced that the next meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Congregational will take place Saturday evening, April 30th at the home of Mrs. Morris Modelle, 72 Salem Street, Wilmington.

AIRMAN GAGNON SERVES OVERSEAS

Parks Air Force Base, Cal. A/3c Paul J. Gagnon, brother of Mrs. M. Codiero of Wilmington, processed here with the 2349th Personnel Processing Group enroute to Korea.

Prior to his shipment to the Far East, Airman Gagnon was stationed at Mitchell Air Force Base, N.Y.

Airman Gagnon enlisted in the Air Force in June of 1954.

COLORED MOVIES TO BE TAKEN OF METHODIST CHURCH SCHOOL

The Commission of Education of the Wilmington Methodist Church in their planning for Parent's Night, Mar. 28 will have colored movies made of the entire church school in action on Sunday, March 13. David Trickett, member of the Board of Trustees took the movies during both sessions of the church school. Superintendent of the School, William Russell, will narrate on a tape recording to be used at the showing of the film.

Parent's Night will be held at the Church on Monday evening, March 28 at 8 p.m. at this time the movies will be shown along with slides of the Christmas parties, and of the picnic last summer.

ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual - National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare

If yours is an average American family it costs you the neat sum of $100 a year just to pay your share of the paperwork done by the federal government.

That is one of the startling facts produced in a newly-published Hoover Commission report, which goes into the paperwork problem in detail and makes certain recommendations for reorganization and reform.

Everyone who has served in one of the armed forces has had personal experienc with the extent and complexity of government record keeping and other paperwork. It has been the subject of innumerable jokes and anecdotes. But it is no laughing matter, when considered in light of its cost in time, effort and money. And, while this is a problem of some magnitude in industry as well, it seems that it has reached its most acute and wasteful form in the huge federal establishment.

As a result of a prior Hoover Commission study, changes were made in methods of handling governments records that have saved nearly $35,000,000 in a single year. But that notable effort has touched upon only a relatively small portion of the government's paperwork activity. According to this new report, the government creates and handles some 25,000,000,000 pieces of paper each year, not counting that used in manuals, pamphlets, and the like. This requires the services of more than 750,000 full-time employees. And it costs $4,000,000,000 a year—which, by way of comparison, is about equal to the whole federal budget prior to 22 years ago.

The paperwork takes various forms. Some 18,000,000,000 of the sheets are printed or mimeographed. More than 1,000,000,000 are individual letters - - and to write these costs $1,000,000,000 or a dollar each. The government has hundreds of millions of dollars invested in office equipment, and office space for the paperwork employes costs $180,000,000 annually. There are more than 24,000,000 cubic feet of federal agency records - - which, the report observes, are enough to fill seven buildings the size of the gigantic Pentagon.

The increase in paperwork came, of course, with the enormous growth of the government in recent years. And, in some instances at least, the paperwork grew far faster,. In 1912 writing of individual letters per government employe totaled 55; now it totals about 522 a year. In addition to the cost in money, the volume of paperwork imposed upon top federal employes interferes with their basic responsibilities. The report finds that this paperwork, along with various laws and regulations, make these positions far more difficult than those of the top officers of large corporations.

At the end the report makes a number of specific suggestions for cutting down on the paperwork and effecting other allied reforms. It estimates that savings could be made as follows: in correspondence, $75,000,000; in forms, $50,000,000; in reports, $50,000,000; in recording keeping, $50,000,000; in mail handing, $30,000,000. That adds up to $255,000,000, which could be saved the taxpayers in this field of government activity alone. The report urges that early action be taken.

HIGHER PRICES AND LESS EMPLOYMENT

Various proposals have been made for increasing the federal minimum wage. That of the Administration would raise the minimum from the present 75-cent-an hour level to 90 cents. Another would boost it to $1.25. And, along with this, a drive is on to extend the wage to certain kinds of enterprises, of which retailing is one, which are now exempt.

These may seem like reasonable and humanitarian plans - - on first glance. But there are serious dangers involved, affecting consumers, business, and workers themselves. To take an example, if the wage were raised to 90 cents , which is the lowest figure proposed, the cost to major retail operations might be increased by as much as six cents for each dollar of sales. That is more than the entire net profit earned by most retailers.

How could this new and artificially applied expense be handled? Some of it, no doubt, would be passed on to the consumer in the form of higher prices. But retail competition is exceedingly stiff today, and so it is inevitable that every effort would be made to affect operating economies - - such as more self-service - - which would reduce the employment rolls. So, many marginal workers, instead of receiving a new and higher minimum, would have no jobs and would receive no wage at all. And they wouldn't be able to obtain the skills and experience needed to qualify them for better-paid tasks.

Thus, these wage proposals threaten higher prices, decreased employment, or both. Nobody really benefits when that happens.

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BOB ORNE ENLIST IN NAVY

Robert Ellis Orne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick L. Orne, of Box 301, Beverly Avenue, Wilmington, recently enlisted in the U.S. Navy and is presently undergoing Recruit Training at Bainbridge, Maryland, the Navy Recruiting Station announced recently.

Robert indicated he was interested in learning a trade while in the Navy.

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TOWN VOTES REAPPRAISAL—TOWN ENGINEER—REZONING

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briefly on the budget, saying that if everything had been put in as submitted the tax rate would have been $63, and that the town at the present time had a bonded indebtedness of over 20 per cent of valuation. "Reading has 9 percent and they are scared because they think it is too high." He paid tribute to the work of the Town Manager, saying that "for the first time we have a budget," and that "there had been very few disagreements." Perhaps we can have a tax rate of $55." (Applause).

Voted through without opposition were Town Officers Salaries, amounting to $36,000, and Town Officers Expenses amounting to $26,304. It was explained by TM Courtney that Town Hall expenses had gone up, because some changes were being made, in the vault to preserve town records which are mouldering, new louvres for ventilation, a new tank to replace "one that had given out" a couple of weeks ago, and more duplicating equipment.

Police Wages

Chief of Police Paul Lynch moved that the Police budget be increased from $42,412.00 to $47,060. "No axe to grind" he said. His original budget submitted last December had been for $54,460, and in spite of the efforts of both himself and the Town Manager, they had not been able to get together to discuss the subject. As things now stand, he told the town, there are only two men on duty at any time. "People who call up at any time of the day-we can't always cover—a lady called yesterday at 3 p.m. impossible to answer—instead of 10 men you will have 12—Town Manager says that 1 man is to go on special officer's work on account of juvenile delinquincy."

Carl Salmonsen: "Very much in favor—who is our Town Manager? I think a police officer if he is honest should get everything he can!" (laughter).

TM Courtney: "I would like to introduce myself—I am the Town Manager—for practical purposes there were no salary increases in the police budget, we just rounded off a few figures for easier bookkeeping. A figure of $69.23 a week became $70. We made the Sergeant $75, because I belive a sergant should get $5 more than a patrolman. The Chief has mentioned the increasing demand for police services, a demand that is true in all spheres, because of our increasing population. We are specializing in one thing this year, juvenile delinquincy, and problems of traffic control. I appointed an advisory committee of clergymen and others, to consider the juvenile problems, and they have been extremely useful. As a result of their recommendations we hall have a policeman with the rank of sergeant, to work with the schools and clergymen, on juvenile problems, in a preventative program, and also on traffice problems. The money in the budget is certainly not all we would like to have but a step in the right direction! I have also included in the budget money for five school patrols, women who will work in uniform, part time, at the school crossings."

The vote was taken, and the Moderator was in doubt. He called for a standing vote —Yes 174 No 82. The $47,060 budget was voted.

Fire Department

On motion of Selectman Woods the Fire Department budget was increased to $50,493. TM Courtney told the town that the Firemen were working 72 hours a week, that they had come to him sometime last summer, saying that they should work less, and that they could have a refrendum on the fall State Ballots, for a 40 or 48 hour week, which the TM thought might possibly have been voted. He said that the Selectmen had agreed that if this had been voted it would mean 6 more men in the department, and that a lesser week was advisable. The Firemen had agreed to keep the same week, pending action by the town. This proposed budget would make a 56 hour week.

The budget was voted.

Civil Defense

There was no debate on Fire Department Expenses, Outlays, Ambulance Expenses, Police Station Expenses.

On Civil Defense Herbert Barrows moved to include the unexpended balance of 297.95 making the total $697.95. He said that neighboring towns were not spending money—"Reading not spending a nickle!—no reason to be much disturbed until we have to—"

Thomas Laflonatis, Director of Civil Defense: "Point of Order" the unexpended balance is carried over automatically, according to State law—we will have to defeat this amendment—I would be in violation of my duties if I didn't elaborate on the problem. The Finance Committee's job is to approve and curtail expenses—to my knowledge only two people in this town can speak on Civil Defense, the Town Manager and myself—I will say that because of the time that has to be spent, in literature, and classes, I feel somewhat qualified to inform you." Mr. Laflonatis read a letter from the State Civil Defense, which pointed out that Wilmington would be on the fringe, if an H bomb were to be exploded over Boston. If it were expolded over Cambridge the damage would extend into Wilmington, and the "fall-out" would extend all over Wilmington. "We need an organization to take care of emergency traffic flowing,—no community has enough funds to take care of Civil Defense—every community must be prepared—should be a Civil Defense office in Wilmington—a control center—a mobile unit—two evacuation routes run through Wilmington—should have several hundred men for police duty if needed—no one in the state has taken any town to task for inaction but the time will come—why not be prepared—I look on it as insurance—the responsibility is yours—I serve without pay—it is your town! No amount of money can take the place of training!

Selectman Woods amended the Civil Defense budget to $2000.

David Elfman (former

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT.

Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of **Edmond Peter** late of Wilmington in said County, deceased:

A petition has been presented to said Court by **Lucinda Pedro Camilo** and **Augusto Camilo**, both of Vilar Formoso, Province of Beira Alta, Portugal, representing that two decrees of this Court dated October 26, 1954 granted licenses for the sale of real estate of said deceased; that said decrees were entered without notice to the petitioners; that if they had received notice they would have filed objections to the petitions for sale of real estate because the offers indicated were inadequate: and praying that this Court revoke and vacate said decrees and that the estate be restored to status quo as to said parcels of real estate, and for such other and further relief as this Court may deem just .

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourth day of April 1955, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

John J. Foley, Register.
M-16-23-30

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT

Middlesex, ss

To all persons interested in the estate of **Ernest R. Currier** late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that **Claire C. Sperry** of Whitesboro, in the State of New York be appointed administratrix of said estate, without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court, at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the thirty-first day of March, 1955, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Gustave F. Landry and Lorraine M. Landry, husband and wife, of Wilmington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, to the Broadway Savings Bank, a corporation established in Lawrence, Massachusetts, dated October 29, 1954, recorded in the North District of Middlesex Registry of Deeds book 1274, page 143, for breach of conditions contained in said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, and in accordance with a decree of Land Court (case No.19987-Misc.), will be sold at public auction on the mortgaged premises on Monday afternoon, April 11, 1955, at 2:30 o'clock, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely, a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the southerly side of Walker Street, Wilmington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, being shown as lot numbered four on "Plan of Land in Wilmington, Mass., January 29, 1954, Dana F. Perkins & Sons, Inc., Civil Engineers and Surveyors, Reading, Mass.", said plan being recorded in the North District Middlesex Registry of Deeds, plan book 84, plan 29, said premises being more particularly bounded and described as follows: Northerly one hundred feet by Walker Street; Easterly one hundred feet by lot No. 2; Southerly one hundred feet by lot 10 and lot E; and Westerly one hundred feet by lot No. 6; all as shown on said plan. Containing 10,000 square feet according to said plan. Being the same premises conveyed to the mortgagors by George Vokey et alii by deed duly recorded. Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and to any other municipal assessments. A deposit of seven hundred and fifty dollars ($750) will be required of the purchaser at the time and place of sale and the balance of the purchase money is to be paid within ten days thereafter.

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Moderator). "Point of Order! Amendment upon amendment—not provided for in by-laws."

Moderator: I know of no provision—we now have two amendments!" Edward Curtis asked, through the Chair, for a breakdown on the $2,000.

TM Courtney: Administrative costs, plus electrical equipment, principally radio, reimbursable by 50%—of the $2,000 we get $1,000 back!

The $2,000 amendment was voted.

Town Engineer

There was no debate on the remaining items under Protection of Persons and Property. Debate started again when Public Works was being considered, when Paul Metcalf demanded an explanation of the Town Engineer—"New job; apparantly."

TM Courtney explained that $5000 was set for the salary with $1500 for other expenses—"On this the Selectmen, the Finance Committee and myself are all agreed. We have a definite lack of engineering—you can see it in the roads, drains and bridges—no compilation of maps—guessing game—too often we do things first and then find out we should have done it another way."

The money was voted.

Highway Department

Selectman Woods moved that the Highway Department Salaries be increased from $17,000 to $20,000.

Stanley Webber, of the Finance Committee spoke against the amendment. "Last year appropriated $16,500, in addition to that we spend $18,188—total of $33,148 in wages in the Highway Department—funds from Chapters 81 and 90. This year the Finance Committee has increased the Salaries account $500. Part of the Chapter 90 work will be postponed on account of Route 28—no evidence can be done elsewhere—The Finance Committee cannot see why we need to appropriate money to carry over to 1956.

TM Courtney: On account of all the accounts in the Highway Department it is almost impossible to figure all salary accounts—the purpose of this is for additional men for maintainance. In the past several years we have had no increase, but the number of miles of streets in Wilmington has increased. We need some maintainance men, so that the work of clearing out culverts, and such things can be taken care of. As Mr. Webber says, no specific location for Route 62, but we should have it settled in couple of weeks about Route 28.

The voice vote was in doubt, a standing vote was called for. Yes 115, No 112. and the sum of $17,000 was voted.

Expenses

Selectman Woods then moved that Highway Department Expenses be increased from $13,000 to $18,000. TM Courtney told the town that last years figures do not reflect the true picture, because of the two hurricanes, in which the Highway Department spent a lot of time on work paid by the state.

Mr. Barrows: "In Chapter 81 we have an allotment of $1000 more than last year—The Highway Department is not suffering for an expense accout!"

The amendment was voted down with a vociferous NO!

Parks

John Ritchie, Chairman of the Planning Board, moved to increase the budget item for Parks from $750 to $2950. "A dire need for a bath house at Silver Lake. The abandonment of the school is an opportunity—I understand the money was disapproved on a technicality—The Finance Committee claims that it is Capital Outlay and requires a separate article—Lets vote it now and iron it out afterwards!"

Herbert Barrows: Section 12 of Chapter 40 specifically claims that section must be accepted. I asked Mr. Dine (State Division of Corporations and Taxation) for an opinion, and haven't received one. I asked the Town Counsel for an opinion and haven't had a full answer—I think we should wait. Mr. Webber read the section of the Act, and said that Mr. Barrows notified the Town Manager to put this in a separate article—"then no holdup, if he had put it in we wouldn't question."

Claude Helwig (Planning Board) : If the Town Counsel could rule could we vote it now?

Philip Buzzell, (Town Counsel: "It is not as simple as it seems. There are sections in the law which would justify—on the other hand the Finance Committee has a right to its opinion under the section cited. It would be possible to make an appropriation but the committee would be unwise to expend the money until the Division of Accounts rules—but you can vote it this way."

TM Courtney: "Mr. Barrows did speak to me, but we disagreed—This building was partly used last summer—all we want to do is to improve the plumbing facilities inside the building—that state legislation is a confusing thing."

Helwig: "That lake is our only swimming pool."

Frank Haggerty (Chairman of the Board of Health): "The people should back the Planning Board!"

The amendment was voted.

Cemeteries

Mr. Webber moved that the money for the Cemeteries account be taken $1933 from the sale of lots, $3,224 from interest in the Trust Runds, and $8,443 from taxation.

Philip Buzzell (Trustee of Trust Funds) "Point of Order! I don't understand that accumulated interest in the Trust Funds can be voted by the Town. It can be done only by a vote of the Trustees!

Moderator: "Are you a Trustee?"

Buzzell: "Yes—but the town can't vote—Trustees probably will."

Webber: "I move subject to the Trustees approval."

Moderator: "You realize that if the Trustees don't vote you will be short of money?"

Webber: "Yes"

The amendment was voted.

Health

The Board of Health budget was broken down, in an amendment, by Mr. Barrows, to list the salaries individually.

TM Courtney: "Why?"

Barrows: "Custom—Division of Accounts makes the rulings."

Courtney: "That is a strictly personal opinion of Mr. Dine."

Barrows: " I don't claim its law, but I think it's a good idea to keep on the right side of the Director of Accounts. He is the one who approves our accounts! (Laughter and applause).

Hagerty: The Finance Committee approved of $862 less than we asked for. However, I was just speaking to a member of that committee

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TEWKSBURY NOTES

GEORGE HAZEL of Livingston Street, died suddenly while at work. He was employed at the Sate Hospital. He was also a former police officer in Tewksbury.

THE SHAWSHEEN RIVER will receive more trout this year than ever before. This is due to the efforts of all sportsmen's clubs in this area. They have pooled their resources together in order to purchase more fish.

TEWSBURY'S LITTLE LEAGUE is fortunate that it receives an appropriation from the town. Some of the towns and cities have to depend upon donations.

MELVIN GARLICK was home on leave from the Coast Guard for the weekend.

ST. WILLIAM'S will hold a Dinty Moore's supper on St. Patricks eve.

GENE DIMAGGIO'S Trailer Camp at Long Pond is certainly growing by leaps and bounds. It's like a small village in itself.

MR. and MRS. FRANK L. HOGAN and MISS DOROTHY HAW returned home two weeks ago from Virginia. They went see Mrs. Hogan's and Miss Haw's brother off for Texas. The Hogans live on Dudley Rd. in South Tewksbury.

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NEW ARRIVAL

William J. Manning, Jr., the first child of Mr. and Mrs. William Manning of Morse Avenue, was born in St. John's Hospital, in Lowell, on Feb. 23rd. Mrs. Manning is the former Mabel Libby, of Morse Avenue.

35th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Hovey, 271 Glen Road, were tendered a surprise dinner and party on Sunday Feb. 27th, on the occasion of their 35th Wedding Anniversary, by their three daughters. Mrs. Cappy Iovanna, Mrs. Ruth Yentile, both of Wilmington, and Mrs. Eldora Grant of Waltham. Although their sons, were not able to be home, they participated in the giving of the gifts that were received. Edwin is in Iceland, and Gene is a Corporal in the Marine Corps, stationed in Miami, Florida. There were 21 people at the dinner table, of which eight were the couple's grand children.

GREEN WHIST FOR ST. THOMAS'

Mrs. Elizabeth Kelley, of Shawsheen Ave., and her large Committee, headed by Rev. Fr. Reagan, have planned a Festive Whist for Thursday evening, March 17. As is usual for this annual event, many attractive, and useful prizes have been obtained for the pleasure of it's Patrons. The evening is sure to prove highly successful, as it has for years past, and, not to be able to attend, is a situation that is sad, indeed. The tickets, for sale at one dollar each, may be obtained from Mrs. Kelley, or any other committee members.

OUR SYMPATHY TO BOB MATONIS

We are sorry to hear that the popular Bob Matonis was disappointed in not being able to obtain the music he wanted for his Junior Dance Night. We agree, Bob, The Black and White Manuels, are the most. But they are booked solid for some time to come. Never mind, Bob, The class will dance to canned music, if they think it will please you.

NEW CITIZEN

Mr. and Mrs. Bertrand McLellan, of 16 Patriot Rd., Tewksbury, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, on Feb. 25th, at the Winchester Hospital.

IT'S A GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Fogarty, of 20 Amos St., Tewksbury, are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, born on the 24th of February, at the Winchester Hospital.

A DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wagstaff, of 6 Cottage Street, Wilmington, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a baby girl, Feb. 23rd, at St. John's Hospital. Mrs. Wagstaff is the former Gertrude Leverone of Grove Ave.

IT'S A BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Westcott, of 604 Woburn Street, Wilmington, are the happy parents of a baby son, who arrived at the Winchester Hospital on February 25th. Father, Mother, and Little Boy are doing well, thank you.

SAWYER'S BABY

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sawyer, of Taplan Ave., Wilmington, are the proud parents of a brand new son, born at St. John's Hospital, Lowell, on Feb. 9. The little boy will be called Robert. Mrs. Sawyer is the former Gertrude Baker, of Grove Ave.

OVERHEARD AT THE POLLS

A busy mother parked her car at the curb, in front of the High School, Election Day and stepped out, with the intention of going to vote. A little voice called after her, from within the car, "Just vote once, Mommie, and come right back!" That's good advice, Mommie!

ST. DOROTHY'S WHIST

On Wednesday, the 16th there will be a "Green Whist" at the Silver Lake Betterment Hall. This Whist will benefit St. Dorothy's parish, and, being one of the larger parties, will have very attractive and useful prizes to choose from. This party, we believe, will be the beginning of a very busy spring and summer season for our new parish.

WOMEN'S CLUB ON THURSDAY

The Women's Club of Wilmington will meet on Thursday, the 17th with an attractive Programme arrangement. March 17 is to be guest afternoon. Coffee Hour will be held from 1:30 to 2:00 P.M., after which will be held a business meeting. The remainder of the afternoon will be devoted to delightful musical arrangements, for the members and guests.

Mrs. Anton Theil, who is hospitality chairman, has as her committee: Mrs. Michael Barry, Mrs. Clifford Goode, Mrs. Elmer Branscombe, Mrs. August MacLeod, Mrs. Robert Joys, Mrs. Meyer Weinberg, Mrs. Robt. Smith, Mrs. Phillip Buzzell, Mrs. George Young, Mrs. Herbert Barrows, and Mrs. Chester Carver. The club meets on the third Thursday of each month.

OPEN HOUSE AT WILDWOOD SCHOOL

Monday, the 28th of Feb. saw a record crowd, as Wildwood School threw open its doors, from seven to nine P.M., expressly for the purpose of seeing, and talking to parents, and friends of the young students who attend the school. There were many good work papers, and some very beautiful drawings, all the work of the youngsters, on display. There was also ample opportunity to speak to teachers, about children's problems. And for those who could listen to the speaker of the evening, Dean W. Linwood Chase, noted educator, from B.U., there was indeed a treat in store. The Dean possessed the rare capability of being interesting as well as educational. Even a tired mother could appreciate him, and may we include ourselves in this group.

DON OTIS HOME

Donald Otis, of the U.S. Navy is home on leave. Young Otis, a graduate of Wilmington High School in 1953, joined the service shortly after completion of school. He is visiting his father, and sister, on King Street.

HOSPITAL PARTY AT BEDFORD

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Veteran's of Foreign Wars, of Wilmington, tendered a party and dance to the boys in Bedford Hospital, on Thursday evening, the 3rd. Many of the women responded to the call for hostesses, and the party was highly succesful. Mrs. Joseph Kelley, of Shawsheen Ave., contributed many fine magazines, and other reading matter, and each woman attending the party, supplied homemade cup cakes, cigarettes, and candy. The orchestra, consisting of inmates of the hospital, was paid for by the VFW Auxiliary. The hospitality committee, including Janet Simmons, as chairman, Mary Starr, and Mrs. Helen Witham, are to be commended for the wonderful job of recruiting the members for this occasion, and one to be remembered.

METHODIST CHURCH HELD ANNUAL CHURCH CONFERENCE MONDAY, MARCH 14

The Annual Church Conference of the Wilmington Methodist Church was held in the church on Monday, March 14, beginning with the conference supper at 6:30 p.m. The officers of the parish were elected for the coming Church year, reports of all the organizations were heard and the Rev. Richard E. Harding then gave his annual report to the congregation.

The Rev. Archiver J. Strait, Superintendent of the Lynn District of Methodist Churches presided at the Meeting. Mr. Strait is completing his sixth year as District Superintendent and will retire from that position this year. Before assuming this position six years ago he served for fourteen years as pastor of the College Avenue Methodist Church in Somerville, Mass.

Highlighting this years conference was the report of the Building Fund at its first year anniversary. All receipts to date for the new Methodist Church in Wilmington brings the total to $10,000.00. Many new families will join the building fund program immediately following the annual Church conference.

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BOY BORN TO FORMER LOCAL GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Sabre are happy to announce the birth of a son, Steven Richard, on March 4th at the Winchester hospital, Winchester. Mrs. Sabre is the former "Madge" E. Field. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Field, of 2 South St., Wilmington.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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Dear Sir:

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Goose Bay, Labrador

The Wilmington Crusader

Dear Sirs:

For the past year, I have been stationed in an isolated place of the world serving my overseas tour with the U.S. Army. My location at Goose Air Base in Labrador was about as far away from anywhere and for the longest time that I want to spend in one place at any time. Yet every week I was able to keep up with the local news and hometown proceedings through the Crusader. I really appreciated this and want to express my sincere thanks. I am now headed for home and will be receiving it there so thanks for the service.

Sincerely yours,
John H. Rush

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

USS Northampton
Paaleron, Port of Athens
3 March 1955

Dear Larz:

Just a few lines that you may be able to use concerning the Northampton. Needless to say, I for one am quite pleased that our short tour in the Mediterranean is fast drawing to a close and that soon we'll be back in the continental U.S. I have orders detaching me and shall spend thirty days leave at home, before reporting at Washington, D. C. for a tour of duty ashore. I had hopes of being within commuting distance of Wilmington, but such was not to be. Perhaps next time!

The thoughtfulness of you and the boys in sending me the Crusader is sincerely appreciated.

Kind regards
Al Marfleet.

EDITORS NOTE: Mr. Marfleet is Executive Officer of the USS Northampton, a new cruiser, now making her shakedown cruise in the Mediterannean. The "few lines" of which he speaks are official orders, which we quote verbatim for the benefit of some of our Navy veterans (and their wives or girl friends).

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News copy for immediate release X with sixthflt in the Mediterranean Mar. 3 X Vadm Thomas S. Comb Comsixthflt will transfer his three star flag from the tactical command ship Northampton to heavy cruiser Newport News on Monday Mar.7 in Phaleron Bay Greece Cmm within sight of Athens renowned Acropolis x para the shift will marke a return to the heavy cruisers which traditionally have served as sixflt flagships in the Mediteranean x normally the assignment rotates among three sister ship dash Salem cmm Newport News and Des Moines x the Northampton cmm which has served since early Dec. as flagship of vadm combs cmm is a new ship type which has been undergoing an evaluation tour in this strategic area X para vadm combs arrived today at Phaleron Bay in Northampton cmm the vanguard of a large contigent of sixthflt ships which will visit Greek ports during the next two weeks x on Saturday the Newport News will arrive and moor alogside Northampton x records cmm equipment and personal belongings of some 30 Officers and 200 men of the Sixflt staff will be moved during the day of Mar. 5 x vadm Combs will break his flag officially in Newport News on Monday Mar. 7 x shortly after the transfer cmm the Northampton will weigh anchor and depart to rejoin the Atlantic fleet x para the duties of fleet flagship in the Mediterranean have rotated for the past several years among the three identical 17000 Salem class cruisers x Newport News was commissioned in Jan. 1949 and is commanded by Capt. Royce P. Davis x Northampton cmm is commanded by Capt. Charles E. Weakley of Norfolk Va. para from the flagship comsixthflt directs the operations of approximately 40 ships which normally comprise the sixthflt x the fleet has no base in the Mediterranean but operates throughout the length of the strategic sea x replenishment refueling and rearming are accomplished from its own ships at sea x para vadm Combe cmm a veteran Navel aviator cmm command the famouse quote fighting Lady unquote com USS Yorktown cmm during World War II x he has served as sixthflt commander since Mar of 1954 x end.

FIRE CONTROLMAN IN THE NAVY

This is the first of a series of articles presented by the local Navy Recruiter. William D. Mansfield located in the Post Office, Lowell. It is hoped that this information will assist the general public in getting to know the Navy ratings and at the same time explain some of the duties performed by naval personel. The rating explained below is "FIRE CONTROLMAN".

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Fire Controlmen serve aboard most classes of fighting ships, with some assigned to the submarine service.

Fire Controlmen operate fire control equipment, including rangefinders, computers, re control radar, director switchboords, and associated equipment. They conduct operational tests and alignment checks, perform routine shipboard maintenance and repair work on fire control equipment, adjust optical rangefinders and make optical repairs. The operation of fire control systems requires many additional specialized skills. Among the many special jobs are those of telephone talkers, who transmit data, orders, and instructions between fire control stations; plotters, who enter data into the computing machines; and director pointers and trainers, who determine the line of sight of the guns.

The training and experience in the Navy that Fire Controlmen receive provides them with the background skills, and knowledge for many civilian occupations. Some civilian jobs that are closely related to the ones performed by Fire Controlmen are: Instrument Man, Istrument Repairman, Electrical Repairman, Plant Operator, Explosive Operator and Station Installer.

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ST. THOMAS NEWS

Sunday Masses:
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Week Days Masses
7:00 and 7:45 A.M.

Thursday:
The feast of St. Patrick. The faithful are dispensed from the law of fasting on his feast.

The Annual Green Whist is at 8:00 P.M. in the hall. The committee in charge has made an all out effort to make the party as grand as those in the past; they report a most generous and cheerful cooperation on the part of parishioners. Prizes will still be welcomed and may be left at the hall Wednesday. The proceeds will help pay for the new stage curtains.

Friday:
Stations of the Cross at 3:15 and 7:45 P.M.

Saturday:
Feast of St. Joseph, Protector of the Universal Church and Patron of Purity, the Worker and a Happy Death.

Sunday:
Communion Sunday for the girls of the parish.

Third Sunday Collection. It will hepy us meet our fire insurance bill.

Prayers:
Reginald Frotten and Joseph Surprenant buride the past week.

Barbara Corella whose Requiem High Funeral was on Monday.

Thomas Connolly for whom the High Mass will be sung Saturday at 7:45.

James White whose 3rd Anniv was on Monday.

THE PRAYER OF ST. PATRICK

May the strength of God guide me this day, and may His power preserve me. May the wisdom of God instruct me; the ear of God hear me; the word of God give sweetness to my speech; the hand of God defend me; and may I follow the way of God.

Christ be with me, Christ before me.

Christ be after me, Christ be within me.

Christ beneath me, Christ above me.

Christ at my right hand, Christ at my left.

Christ in the fort, Christ in the chariot.

Christ in the ship;

Christ in the heart of every man, who thinks of me.

Christ in the mouth of every man who speaks to me.

Christ in every eye, that sees me.

Christ in ever year, that hears me.

TOWN NOTES

WEATHER

March came in like a Lion. The first day was windy and gusty. We had over four inches of snow in the first week, to give us our first experience in driving on skiddy roads in sometime. The snow has just now disappeared.

So far in March, up to Sunday morning, we had 1.79 inches of rain.

BIRDS

We heard our first Blue bird on Saturday, and our first Red Wing Blackbird on Sunday (We often have wondered if Wilmington has more than its share of Red Wings, on account of our swamps).

OTHER SIGNS OF SPRING

Those people who have back-yard gardens are now digging parsnips, which were in the ground all winter. They taste most delicious at this time of the year, a real delicacy.

SYNTHETIC LOAM

That loam that you see in Rotary Park and Playground isn't loam at all. It is purely synthetic, but, we understand, as fully nutritious for grass. It is ground up cocoa-shells, from the Jack and Jill plant, on the Wilmington-Woburn line. They gave the Park 5000 yards, we believe, for trucking it away. The Little Leaguers will be playing on a Cocoa Field, this summer.

ROUTE 28

The State Engineers are giving the petitions of Wilmington and North Reading consideration, at least. An engineering party was in the swamp, north of Salem Street, at Martin's Brook, during the past week probing the mud and peat. The deepest hole they round was 31 feet. We understand that one of the engineers remarked that the route would not be too expensive, if it were to cross the swamp, and that plans are being considered to make the turn-off for Route 110 from Abigail's Island. (Don't take this for Gospel Fact. It's just the way that the rumors came to us).

EARLY RISER

Last week the Crusader gave credit to the wrong man. It was Officer Ellsworth who was the first to cast a ballot, in the elections, and not the Officer that we had named. Officer Ellsworth is the man who is out to set a record, for being the early voters. Our apologies. Mr. Ellsworth!

PIZZA KING

The VFW is going in heavy for Saturday night socials (together with the ladies of their Auxiliary). They have had "Pop" Fillipone prepare a couple of Spaghetti suppers which have become quite famous. Now they have another kind coming up.

Saturday night the cook is to be Chick LaMonica, of Boston. Chick is known as "The Pizza King of Boston University", and is justifiably famous according to all accounts. He will be the boy behind the skillet, this time. It's an Open House, for anybody who likes Pizza.

TM'S VACATION

That isn't exactly the title that should be given, but TM Courtney expects to take things a little easier for the next few weeks. In the last month he has had to attend a committee meeting practically every night, in preparation for the annual Town Meeting.

TOWN ENGINEER

We were "kidding" the TM the other day, saying that we figured someone would be coming from Medford, to be the Town Engineer, just voted. He assured us, in all seriousness (not knowing that we were kidding) that he knew no-one in Medford, or anywhere else, who exactly qualifies for the job. He wants a "young fellow who will grow with the job."

TAX RATE

What will the tax rate be? We have a figure of $57.50 based on an estimated valuation of property of $12,700,000. If the Assessors arrive at a higher figure, the tax rate will be less, and if they arrive at a lower figure it will be more. Other factors are to be considered, too.

POOLE — BAGLEY

On Friday evening, March 11th, a pretty spring wedding took place at the home of Dr. Miriam J. Hosmer when her friend, Miss Lillian L. Bagley, became the bride of Mr. Kenneth A Poole, both of Wilmington.

With a background of yellow and white flowers, white satin ribbon and tall white tapers the double-ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Stanley Cummings of the Congregational Church, in the presence of about fifty guests.

Since the bride's brother Pvt. Kilborn Bagley of Reading, is now stationed in Germany, she was given in marriage by Dr. Gaius E Harmon.

She was becomingly gowned in aqua faille, cut on princess lones, and matching bolero with three-quarter length sleeves and standing collar.

Her shoulder-length veil of pale aqua tule fell from a coronet of sweetheart roses. She carried her mother's prayer-book with cover corsage of deep orange sweetheart roses and white hyacinth knotted with hyacinth florets.

The bride's attendant, Miss Barbara DeMar, one of the twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence DeMar of Reading, was similarly gowned in orchid faille, princess style, with short sleeves and round collar. She wore a coronet of yellow roses and a wristlet of yellow sweetheart roses and freezia.

Mr. Arthur Jensen of North Wilmington acted as best man for his friend.

When receiving guests after the ceremony, the bride was assisted by her close friend, Mrs. Hugh McPhee, of Tewksbury, who wore navy taffeta with a corsage of mixed flowers in shades of yellow. The groom's mother also in the receiving line wore blue taffeta with corsage of pink roses.

The guest book was in charge of Miss Joan Meith of Tewksbury.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. John D. Cooke of Andover and Mrs. Maurice E. O'Neil of Wilmington, assisted by the Misses Sandra and Donna Dupras, Phyllis and Audrey Kimball and Karen Walden, young friends of the bride.

The new Mrs. Poole is a graduate of Reading High School, spent a year at Norwood Hospital where she completed a course in attendant nursing, and is now employed at Choate Memorial Hospital in Woburn.

Mr. Poole, the son of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Poole, was educated in Wilmington and New Hampshire schools, entered the army in 1948 and was stationed in Germany for six years. He is now employed in Reading.

After a motor trip through Maine and New Hampshire the couple will make their home on Bingham Street, Wilmington.

WELL IN NEW WELL FIELD COMPLETED

The work of drilling the wells, in the new well field for the Wilmington Water Department (Barrows Station) has been completed. Many wells have been drilled, ranging in depth up to 42 feet. They have yet to be connected by pipeline, however. Maximum output of the wells is computed at 1173 gallons per minute, with 500 gpm being the expected figure.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Mr. Neilson:

It is with great pleasure that I can write to you and ask you to please discontinue sending the Wilmington Crusader to me. I say a great pleasure not because the paper doesn't interest me, but because it means I am very close to getting home. I will be leaving Germany sometime this month.

I wish to thank all those who had a hand in seeing that the service men and women from Wilmington received their paper. You know a letter from home is a great and important thing for us, but I will put the home paper in second place behind a letter.

Once again I thank you and all concerned.

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ROBERT I. GORDON'S CRUSADER STOPPED

Upon notification from the Post Office on board the USS Fulton (AS-11) we stopped sending the Crusader to Robert I. Gordon. The Fulton people say that the address we have been sending to, USS Fulton, c/o FPO, N.Y., N.Y., cannot be delivered without giving directory service. Directory service is given only to first class mail. Unfortunately, we have no idea of what Robert's correct address is, but if someone would tell us, we would gladly continue sending him the Crusader.

WOMEN'S CLUB TO PRESENT MUSICAL FOR SCHOLARSHIP FUND

On March 25th at 2:30 p.m. the Wilmington Women's Club will present Catherine Carver Burton in a piano recital at the Congregational Church Parish House for the benefit of its Scholarship Fund.

Mrs. Burton is a brilliant pianist who played her first concert in San Francisco when she was only seven. Since that time she has studied in Boston, New York and Europe. She has appeared in recitals and as soloist before many audiences throughout the country. Mrs. Burton has received many coveted awards, Among them are a scholarship at the Institute of Musical Art, a fellowship at the Julliard Graduate School and a New York debut in Town Hall from the Walter W. Narrmbery Foundation. She is received in the Musical World with exceptional enthusiasm for her excellent technique, fine tone and warmth of feeling. Mrs. Burton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wiliam Carver of Middlesex Avenue, Wilmington.

The recital will be followed by a tea. Attendance is not limited to club members, Tickets may be obtained at the door or from any member of the following committee:

Mrs. Edwin Buck, Mrs. Stephen Condrey, Mrs Ernest Fiske, Mrs. Audrew May, Mrs. Thomas Lafionatis, Mrs. Ralph Currier, Mrs. Higginbotham, Mrs. Vaughan Talbert, Mrs. Harold Melzar, Mrs. Paul Todd, Mrs. John Tobey and Mrs. Carl Backman.

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WOMEN'S CLUB TO MEET TOMORROW

The Wilmington Women's Club meeting will be held tomorrow, March 17th., at the Methodist Church Vestry, starting with a coffee hour at 1:30 pm., followed by a business meeting at 2:00 pm.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Young of Malden will entertain, with a musical program.

Hostess will be Mrs. Anton Thiel, chairman, Mrs. Michael Barry,, Mrs. Clifford Good, Mrs. Elmer Branscombe, Mrs. August MacLeod, Mrs. Robert Taves, Mrs. Meyer Weinberg, Mrs. Robert Smith, Mrs. Phillip Buzzell, Mrs. George Young, Mrs. Herbert Barrows and Mrs. Chester Carnes.

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and he has assured me that if we went along they would."

The amendment was voted

Recreation

There was no argument in the Charities, Schools, or Libraries budgets. When the Recreation Commission came up for discussion David Elfman, of that commission took the floor. He read the first report of that Commission, and thanked a number of people for their help, including Ralph Babcock, who had resigned because of the pressure of business. He then went on: "I would like to ask Mr. Barrows if $204 would mean the saving of one cent on the tax rate?" He amended the appropriation to $5,204.

Mr. Webber: "We are not deducting the $204 because it saves two cents but because in all departments we are trying to bring things into balance with our scheme of living—They had a 30% increase last year.

Mr. Babcock: "I respect the Finance Committee for their work, but if you reflect on the work of the Recreation Commission in the field of the juveniles—think of the money that the Police Department and other departments had to spend and how that money might have been saved by a preventative program. (applause).

The additional $204 was voted.

Reserve Fund

On motion of John Hayward of the Finance Committee, the $7,000 for the Reserve Fund was voted to come $4387 from Overlay, and $2613 from available funds.

Interest

On motion of Stanley Webber it was voted to transfer $30,666 from available funds, for Interest payments.

Maturing Debt

On motion of Webber it was voted to transfer $15,979 from Water Surplus, $10,000 from available funds, and $8,521 to be raised by taxation, to pay the 84,500 or Maturing Debt. Mr. Barrows explained that Water Surplus is money that is left over, in the Water Department, and can be used only for the retirement of bonds.

Total

The total sums voted under Article 3 (budget) was $935,506.31, $864,157.31 from taxes, $47,779 from the Excess and Deficiency Fund, and $23,570 from other sources.

Article 4

Voted on motion of Mrs. Drew, Selectman, that the town authorize the Town Treasurer to borrow money, from time to time, in anticipation of the revenue of the coming year.

Article 5

Voted on motion of Nicholas DeFelice, Selectman, that the town raise and appropriate the sum of $500 for the observance of Memorial Day.

Articles 6, 7, 8

Under these three articles $750 was voted for each of the three Veteran's Club Houses.

Article 9

Voted, on motion of Mrs. Drew, to install street lights on King Street, Strout Ave., Powder House Circle, Suncreast Avenue, Sewell Road and Roman Way.

Article 10

$100 voted for the Wilmington 4-H Committee, motion of John R. Evans.

Article 11

$2,000 voted for a new Police Cruiser, motion by Mr. DeFelice.

The Fight for Reappraisal

Herbert Barrows, of the Finance Committee, made a motion under Article 12 that a committee be appointed by the Moderator, with five persons from the Board of Selectmen, Assessors, Finance Committee, Planning Board and Town Counsel being represented to study the problem of Reappraisal, and report at the next annual Town Meeting. The fight was on.

Renee LaRivee, sponsor of the article: "It's been done very nicely and we have had no opportunity to talk—I ask you to defeat this amendment."

Dave Elfman: "Moderator! You should instruct Mr. LaRivee that he has the right to amend the amendment!"

Moderator: "Mr. Barrows offered an original motion—there has been no amendment."

Edward Curtis: "—sometime ago there was an action to look into reappraisal, done with the cooperation of Assors—cost at that time, 6 years ago, $22,500 for a private assessing—could be very easily doubled now I don't think that under the motion to refer the town would lose anything."

LaRivee: I think we should have figures of Assessment where every one is asured of fair play. One of the Selectmen and myself went to two other towns, where Reappraisal had taken place, and

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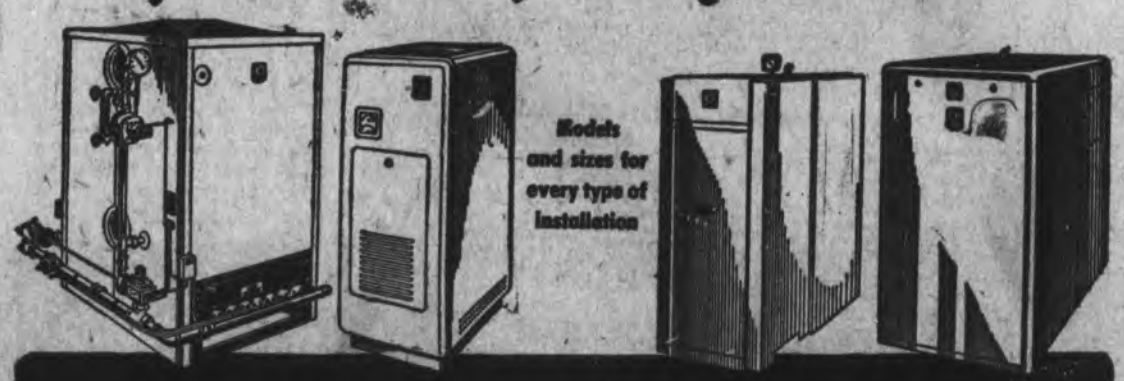

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THE SELECTMEN'S MEETING

The Board of Selectmen, Monday night, had letters of complaints about two streets. One was about Cleveland Avenue, in which it was stated that the street was plowed on one side only, during the past winter, necessitating a snow shovel job for a 175 foot distance.

The second complaint was about Eames Street. One of the industries located on that street complained that the street was in deplorable condition.

Both complaints were turned over to the Town Manager for action by that official.

Pinball Machines

A letter was received from the Chief of Police, listing all known pinball machines in town. The letter ended with an observation, or question, about an incident that had been reported from a previous Selectmen's meeting, in which it had been reported that a young man had lost a week's salary, playing a pinball machine. The questions were, who was the person? Where was the machine?

Fire-Police Station

A letter was received from the Chief of Police, asking for a meeting with the Selectmen to discuss conditions in the Fire Police Station. It stated that conditions were "deplorable."

Selectman DeFelice opened the remarks by saying that there was a "very poor set up." and Selectman Black called it a "disgrace."

E. Hayward Bliss: All agreed that something should be done—got to be changed—thing to do is to decide when and what.

Black: It would have been better if the previous board had been consulted.

Auction License

A letter was received from the Nee-Ellsworth Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, asking for permission to hold auctions in the Post headquarters on Monday nights. Accompanying the letter was an application from Past Commander Fred Kleynan, for an Auctioneer's License. Kleynan was given a license, but the hours were set from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m.

RR Crossing

A letter was received from Frank Haggerty, Chairman of the Board of Health, pointing out that he considered the Portland Branch railroad crossing on Woburn Street to be dangerous, and suggesting that steps be taken to to see that an automatic gate be installed there.

Town Report

Selectman Black complimented Town Manager Courtney on the excellent job he had done, on the Town Report—"very good". Mrs. Drew: I have had many people tell me they could read it!" Black: Much better than the previous four years!

Town Charter

Selectman DeFelice pointed out an apparant lack of agreement between the Town Charter (Section 6C) and the vote of the Town re: Reappraisal, at the recent Town Meeting. In the Town Meeting the vote had been the contract would be by the Town Manager and the Board of Assessors, DeFelice pointed out, whereas Section 6C says that Selectmen and the Town Manager shall etc.

Courtney told DeFelice that the article had been written with the advice of the Division of Corporations and Accounts, and Black looked up the law on the subject, and agreed that the Town Meeting voted had been correctly worded.

DeFelice: "Then the Charter is wrong!"

Black: "Yes in many ways—There was a time here when the school committee had practically beg to get a nail driven,—it was ridiculous! The schools should be under control of the School Committee!

Bliss: Let's make revision of the Town Charter a major project for this year!

Black: That Town Manager Charter was written by people who never had any experience, never held Town Office! They just wished ideas—look at that Fire Station! We are stuck with it, and the guy who is responsible just put on his hat and walked off!

Mrs. Drew: How many places are there that the Town Manager has charge of the school buildings?

The Town Manager could name only four.

Drainage

The TM reported that he understood that the Reading Board of Public Works was trying to get the State Engineers to commit themselves, as to how much the water table would be lowered, near the Reading pumping station, if the Ipswich River project were to be put through, but that they could get no answer.

Sale of Land

Selectman Black moved that the Town Manager have preparations made for another sale of Town Land. It was voted.

Mrs. Drew: I think we made a mistake before, when we set prices. We still have a lot of land which we didn't sell, We should sell the land, and get rid of it—get tax money instead!

PURE AND IMPURE ELECTRICITY

It's obvious from the squabble over the Dixon-Yates contract and other such events that the public power advocates regard the electricity that comes from tax-supported socialized system as pure - - and that which comes form taxpaying private plants as impure.

The Wall Street Journal had an enlightening commentary on this. It said: "One of the things that has made the public power stalwarts throw up their hands in horror over the proposed Dixon - Yates contract is the thought that a private power company - - perish the thought - - would be furnishing electricity to the TVA.

"Public power is public power, so the TVA refrain goes, and private power is beyond the pale and never the twain should meet.

"Well, we have just been looking at the annual report of the Louisville Gas and Electric Company. We see that for some time now the TVA has been calling on the Louisville company for help whenever it ran short of power. Let the rains slack off and lower the water level in TVA dams and the Authority hooks in with the private company to fill its electrical lines. Last year this was no small business. Louisville's sales to TVA in 1954 totaled $4,251,868 worth of electricity . . . We haven't heard any speeches on the floor of the Senate denouncing it. And we haven't heard that this mixing of private power with Government power blew out any fuses. . .

"We don't suppose this bit of intelligence will dampen the fervor of those who think TVA will be contaminated by Dixon - Yates power. But it ought to perish a thoughtless argument."

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there you could find out anything you wanted! Tax maps, diagrams,—wonderul thing! In Methuen they raised the valuation by equalization—a workable program, with cost index cards and maps! The principal assessor there told us that he had been against it, but that he was for it now. Invariably the people are satisfied when they have questions about tax assessments. Down here the people come down, and leave the Town Hall dissatisfied!" (Applause)

Six companies have given us estimates. We have letters which show towns that have adopted—everyone has been satisfied. I assure you that in the Town of Wilmington not everyone is satisfied! (Applause)

Thomas Lafionatis: Unfair and unkind to infer that this hasnt' been studied!

George A. Amnotte: Tax valuation out of line—don't let them ram this down your throat! Vote No and then Vote Reappraisal! (Applause)

Paul Metcalf: A committee was appointed by the Town Manager—now somebody else comes up and says appoint a new committee! Vote it down and let's start from scratch!

Atty. Paul Emmons: I have done considerable work in this connection. Wilmington has over 17 square miles, 54 developments, and 20,000 house lots. It doesn't seem to me that the local assessors should be given the necessary funds.

Barrows: In the state of Massachusetts, 379 towns, only 30 have had Reappraisal. Billerica had a reappraisal, with out of state people. Four years ago their tax rate was $67, then it droped to about $50. Yesterday the paper said it was back to $65. The Finance Committeee is interested in the places of the small houseowners in this town. The houses that are worth about $10,000 are now assessed for about $5000. Just as sure as you get reappraisal they will go up!

We got a new Principal Assessor—give him a year to try it—There are $36,000 in tax titles in this town—last March we gave them $3000—they say they can't find the locations but they can if they go hunting for them!

Augustus Walker: Mr. Barrows has cited a debt of over 20%. There are two ways to reduce the debt percentage—First reduce the debt, or second increase the valuation. They got a several millions increase in Methuen by reappraisal. We have had committees from every civic society in the last several months, and the Town Manager and Principal Assessor have done considerable work. I request permission to hear from the Principal Assessor!

Fred Calabrese (Principal Assessor)—At a loss to understand the attitude of the Finance Committee—This has been commited to death! A committee of civic leaders came to me some months ago—The Town Manager appointed a committee some three months ago that went into this thoroughly they came out with a solid recommendation—reappraisal.

I spent 1½ hours with the Finance Committee, and I left with the impression that they wanted it. I was surprised when I heard that they weren't.

As an Assessor I am not concerned with raising valuations, but with equalization. - there are thousands and thousands of dollars in property that we cannot find - - Let Wilmington be the 31st town - we cannot do without tax maps lets not kill it by throwing it to a committee! There was a man came into the office the other day - he told me that he had land-17½ acres - "I am not paying - will you tax me for it?"

William Widger then offered a long amendment, which in effect would appoint a committee to investigate, and then let the contract, in cooperation with the Board of Selectmen, and Assessors after a public hearing. The Moderator carefully read the amendment, and then remarked that it looked all right, after which Widger said, "I move this amendment" rather than read it a second time. There was laughter. Widger continued. "It would take a year - if this is passed we shall have a chance this year."

Guilio Motroni: Wasting time - valuable time - just go around and around - lets do something! (applause)

TM: What do we have to do to clear the decks?

Moderator: First defeat the amendment, then the proposal of the Finance Committee, then third, make the motion you want - I presume by Mr. La Rivee.

William Stickney (Finance Committee) The Principal Assessor has expressed his amazement at discovering - - we have to work on the articles as they are written - not on principal. I am for reappraisal, but I am not certain that it is going to cost $27,000, and I am not certain that they will find the land.

The Finance Committee is approving or disapproving the articles as they are written. I would also like to ask if there is any information on costs.

Rene LaRivee: Information from six companies is available. I think we should hear from the Town Manager.

TM Courtney: We can't afford to do without it - we lack effective records and maps - I don't know anything that is worse - we don't know where we are or where we are going.

If I were to stand here and say that 50 percent of the town is improperly assessed no one could call me a liar - if I were to stand here and say that 5 percent of the town is improperly assessed no one could call me a liar, because no one knows. The Principal Assessor has obtained preliminary bids from six firms ranging from 25 to 29 thousand dollars. It can be obtained for $27,000, which information was given to the Finance Committee, together with the names of the firms.

Dave Elfman: What about Mr. LaRivee's motion?

TM: It is approved by the Department of Finances and Corporations.

Bernard McMahon: Assuming that it is voted, is there anything to say that the Assessors would accept?

TM: If the Board of Assessors would not accept, without a remarkably good reason, we would have a new Board of Assessors.

Edward Reynolds: At least 95 percent of this town is assessed. Why doesn't the Town Manager put in a couple of clerks, and let the Board of Assessors get to work? Isn't the Board of Assessors capable of doing the job, and saving the town $27,000? It will add $2.50 to our tax rate. I thought the Town Manager was supposed to be here to save money.

There were growing cries of Vote, Vote, throughout the hall. The vote was taken. The amendment had lost. The motion, too was lost.

L. Rivee presented his motion, $27,000 from available funds, to hire an outside firm of disinterested appraisers. It was voted vociferously. The time was 5:15. The Moderator, in a low voice, anti-climaxial declared "It is a vote."

Article 13

$3,200 voted to buy a new truck and snowplow for the Cemetery Department.

Articles 14

Voted to sell the old Maple Meadow School to the Whitefield Association Inc (IOOF) for $500.

Article 15

Voted to purchase 18½ acres, off Glen Road, for $5,400, on motion of F. Talbot Emery, for a school site. Mr. Emery read the report of the Additional School Buildings Committee, which recommended this, and also pointed out that a school site would be needed in North Wilmington, recommending a site on the former Harriman estate.

It was 5:30 pm. William F. Smith moved that the meeting adjourn, and return in two hours. The people were impatient, and voted it down.

Article 16

Article 16, calling for a new sub-fire station at Silver Lake, was "tabled" by Steven Wendell, chairman of the Sub Fire Station Committee.

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A woman brought a pet monkey to the Cincinnati zoo and left it there, explaining that her husband paid more attention to the monkey than to her.

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TOWN VOTES REAPPRAISAL—TOWN ENGINEER—REZONING

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Article 17

Selectman E. Hayward Bliss moved Article 17, the "no-hunting" article. Pat Ring took the floor - "Enforce the law we already have." Speaking for the Wilmington Rod and Gun Club - we do not want the article passed. We will leave signs, to prohibit hunting on any particular land. We will post your land for you. It wont cost you a cent! Give us a year! If you pass this the state will do nothing to stock game in this town. There has been only one accident in 10 years - - Give us a chance - Vote No!

Mrs. Bernice Butler: Within 200 feet of my house a child was hit by a spent bullet! Two years ago a child heard a spent bullet go over her head - she found it, too. Last year there were hunters within 350 feet of my house - they told me to mind my own business! The Police came, but they couldn't find them. The people went to the State House, and asked about the law. They were told it wouldn't do any good, because the police couldn't enforce it.

Bliss: This does not stop hunting by people in areas where people have permission. People with guns now can be asked to show that they have permission!

Edward Curtis: A neighbor of mine, and yourself own quite a bit of land in North Wilmington - we will allow hunting on our land!

Unidentified man: State Police won't help—it won't be local hunters - it will be out of town men.

Gus Walker: I have daughters - people sneak out in back of my home for target pratice - I feel we should give the Rod and Gun Club one year.

Percy Newhouse: My son was shot by a neighbor's child, last year. 14 pellets in his head! The child saw the bushes moving, in my back yard, and fired a shotgun. I'm not mad at the Rod and Gun

Pat Ring: Jim Sheppard (State Conservation Officer) says if you vote yes the state will consider Wilmington closed. Every hunter has to wear a badge. Get his number, if you have trouble, and report it to the Police Department or the Rod and Gun Club and we will take care of the case!

Go along for one year! If we fail you will know what to do next year!

Article 18

Motion by Allick Epstien, to change the size of house-lots to 15,000 feet, 100 by 150 feet. "The price of land in Wilmington is high almost prohibitive. With high land, properly drained, this isn't needed"

Elmer Woller, of the Planning Board: "Appears undesireable - disapproved"

Claude Helwig, Planning Board: It has worked out, with the new lot sizes. The trend is not to raise prices, and not to discontinue building. The prices of houses have not gone up - people are getting more property for the same money previously - please go along with us, and vote No.

Dave Elfman: "Esteem for Mr. Helwig and others - I do not own a single tract suitable for development in Wilmington - speculation has been aroused by this - $1600 for a single lot in Shady Lane Drive the other day - people will pay through the nose!

Wilmington will become a town of estate owners - not for poor people. People are our greatest asset!

Frank Haggerty: Our Town Manager is capable, and I urge that you go along with him, and give him a hand - this is only temporary, until next October - stop gap measure - necessary to back up Town Manager and Planning Board.

Amnotte: Vote this one through! Would the Town Engineer take care of this?

Bob Robinson, Planning Board: I have an advertisement here, from a local firm. Before we rezoned he advertised a five room ranch for $12,800. Now, with lots 150 by 150, he advertises for $13,000, and he was forced to put in all sorts of improvements, roads, water, etc.

Paul Metcalf: At last Town Meeting there was a lot of talk about perculation tests, etc. Now we are told that houses are essential! Look at the front page of this report (the Finance Committee report). Vote for 15,000 feet! Thank you!

Gus Walker: People don't move from apartments to crowded places. I think we should attract people to Wilmington who want decent sized land lots. I say vote this thing down.

TM You have already voted it down once. The funds you voted for the Planning Board are for comrehensive rezoning. I hope to have it in the fall - nothing to gain, and plenty to loose, by jumping back and forth. All that I am asking is that you continue to hold the line for the next few months. Every new house means a net loss of $500 in services!

The article was voted down. It was 6:15 pm. Smith again moved for a recess. Impatiently the people voted down his motion.

Article 19

To rezone part of North Wilmington into a Light Industrial Zone. Report read by Elmer Woller of the Planning Board, approving. Unanimously voted by the town.

Article 20

Webber moved for a recess of five minutes, so that the Town Accountant could compile some figures, needed by the Finance Committee. The Chair suggested that Webber move that the article be taken up after Article 29. This was done and voted.

Article 21

Motion by Selectman Black that Strout Avenue, Sewell Avenue and Carson Road be accepted, and that $1600 be appropriated for putting them into passable condition. The Chair ruled an amendment to $2,000 out of order.

Article 22

Voted to raise $1500 for the purpose of surveing a number of streets, on motion of Selectman Drew.

Article 23

Moved by Larz Neilson, chairman of the Water Extensions Committee that $15,000 be raised for the purpose of putting mains on Oakwood Road, Morse Avenue and Mass Avenue, that no mains be installed until petitioners had first made their deposits in accordance with Water Department proceedure, and that the committee be empowered to make a complete study of water main extensions, and proceedure, and report one year from date.

Neilson read the report of the Water Extension Committee, which reported that each year there was less revenue, from Water mains, and that a thorough review was needed, including study on related items.

The motion was voted without question.

Article 24

On motion of Selectman Drew $9000 was raised to pruchase a new power roller.

Article 25

On motion of Selectman Bliss the town voted unanimously to accept as a public way, and authorize the purchasing or taking of land, a plan of West street, which cuts out many curves, between Lowell Street and Woburn Street, including the "great curve", and $3000 was appropriated.

Article 26

The Town was authorized to enter into a contract with the U.S. Government to enable the Town to receive funds as an advance grant for the purpose of preparing preliminary plans for establishment of a sewerage system. Motion by Selectman Black.

Article 27

Article to sell Town's Radio equipment to the New England Telegraph and Telephone Company. Voted, on motion of Selectman Woods to pass over the article.

The Delay

Everyone was hurrying, and from time to time people would get up and leave the hall. The Moderator was hurriedly reading through Article 28, to see if the town would purchase or take land, and construct a through way from Burlington Avenue to Shawsheen Avenue, to be called Garden Court Extension. At 6:35 pm there was a voice: "Mr. Moderator!"

It was Bill Colter, of Garden Court.

"Mr. Moderator, I doubt that there is a quorum!"

Consternation, on the part of the Town Officials. Another five minutes and the meeting would have been over! Was there a quorum? The tellers were instructed to count. They gave their figures to the Moderator, who read them 140 present, and 150 is a quorum, the Moderator instructed the voters to go out and call some friends, to bring the number up to 150. The two priests of St. Thomas came in, Father Regan still in his clerical gown. After 20 minutes the Moderator pounded the gavel "There being no doubt as to a quorum the meeting will resume" No one challenged his statement. The people voted unanimously to accept the article. There was a sigh of relief.

Article 29

A quick explanation by the Town Manager, in which he told the people that this would put the firemen on a 56 hour week, sufficed. The article was voted.

Stabilization Fund

The meeting reverted to Article 20, a proposal to set up $20,000 in a stabilization fund. Mr. Webber, of the Finance Committee announced that a tabulation by the Town Accountant found that it would cost too much, this year, and moved to pass over the article. The town accepted the motion.

In a hasty voice, as the clock moved near 7 p.m., the Town Moderator called for, accepted, and had a vote on a motion to adjourn.

The Town Meeting was over.

JOSEPH SUPRENANT

Joseph Surprenant, 85 years old, died on March 8th in a hospital. Funeral services were held from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Walter Surrett, on Middlesex Avenue on March 11th, with a Solemn High Mass of Requiem at St. Thomas Church at 11 a.m. celebrated by Fr. John Regan. Burial was in the family lot in Wildwood Cemetary, with graveside committal prayers by Father Regan.

Mr. Surprenant, a native of Canada, had been a resident of Wilmington for over 40 years. He is survived by seven children, Mrs. Beatrice Surrette of Wilmington, Mrs. Theodora Doucette, and Edmund, both of whom live in New Hampshire, Mrs. Irene LeBlanc, Mrs. Bertha Brabant, Mrs. Antoinette Rhine, and Alice Surprenant, all of Tewksbury, and many grandchildren and great grandchildren.

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A NEW SON TO CAIL'S

Congratulations are in order ,on the birth o a son, at the Winchester Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cail, of 252 Middlesex Ave., Wilmington. The blessed event occurred on Thursday, March 3rd, 1955.

IT'S A GIRL

A baby daughter was delivered to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Avery, at the Winchester Hospital, on March 11. The home address of the Avery's is at 71 Temple St., Wilmington.

BOY TO THE SABRE'S

Mr. and Mrs. John Sabre are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, at the Winchester Hospital, on the 4th of March. The Sabre family are located at 2 South St., Wilmington.

IT'S A BOY

Mary and Richard Justice, of 53 Chestnut St., Wilmington, are happy to anounce the safe arrival of a new son, born to them on the 7th of March, at the Winchester Hospital.

BOUQUET DEPARTMENT

If the public were to ask George Cushing, of the Fire Dept., about Saturday, the 5th of March, he would probably say that he was "Just doing his duty." But the fact of the matter is, that if it had'nt been for the quick thinking, capable action of Mr. Cushing and his split-hair decision, on getting Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith to St. Johns' Hospital, with no time to spare, we all know that we could have lost two of our citizens.

We know that the Town Ambulance pulled into the yard of the Lowell Hospital with only three minute's Oxygen left to operate with. Both tire chains on the vehicle snapped while still in Wilmington, and the brakes let go but with an expert driver at the wheel, somehow they made it. Mr. Cushing surely is deserving of the humble thanks that we can extend to him here, and the recognition of the Powers That Be, who have said, "That Which You Do For The Least Of These, You Also Do Unto Me."

THE LENTEN SEASON

With the advent of the fourth week of Lent, we might well take stock of ourselves ,and the sacrifices, if any, which we have made in observance of this Holy season. It is good for all of us to meditate, and attend Churches of our choice during this brief period. All religions recognize repentance, and none of us should be found wanting in this elusive quality, when Easter Sunday finds us ready to begin, with a good start, according to the new life we find in our hearts.

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SENIORS

Honors: Nell Byam, Lucille Cavallaro, Beverly Cole, Violet Fisher, Irene Klements, Eugenie Nelson, Judith Peters, John Riley and Anthony Tessicini.

Honorable Mention: David Etsell, Florence Folloman, Thelma Fortier, Martha Jayes, Ronald Lyman, Anthony Pupa, Dorothy Rogers, Sally Stillman, Frederick Thorpe, Sheila Walsh and Charles Wilson.

JUNIORS

High Honor: Georgiana Parks.

Honors: Nancy Andersen, Beverly Bryant, Louise Carnes, Richard Cavallaro, Lester Chisholm, Sandra Harris, Eileen Ingalls, James Lawrence and Jane Randell.

Honorable Mention: Elaine Bemis, Carol Casey, Carol Chapman, Ralph Chisholm, Lorraine Fidler, Ann Gatta, Sally Higginbotham, Malcolm Jones, Lavinia Melzar, Barbara Odiorne, Andrew Pupa, Marie Richards and Martha Ross.

SOPHOMORES

High Honors: June Goss, Phyllis Kimball and Freda Shepherd.

Honors: David Aberle, John Appelget, Virginia Bryn, Edythe Carnes, Samuel Cavallaro, Joyce Corum, Edward DeAngelis, Louise DeLisle, William Faulkner, Angelina Gatta, Russell Gould, Mary Hartnett, Joan Hunnefeld, Robert Leonard, Muriel Lord, Marie Micalizzi, Harold Murray, Barbara Peck, Robert Peck, William Rosa and Patricia Walsh.

Honorable Mention: Robert Barboza, Geraldine Bergen, Elaine Carmichael, Felix Fortunata, Barbara Gallison, Ruth Howell, Audrey Kimball, Eleanor Kirkell, Milton Morash, Eleanor Nelson and Joan Nims.

FRESHMEN

Honors: James Coombs, Robert Cornish, James Day, Judith Gould, Thomas McAndrew, Warren Newhouse, Parker Prindle, Richard Robbins, Doreen Sonier, Irving Storms, Philip Tupper and Harold White.

Honorable Mention: Judith Blanchard, Paul Butt, Quentin Carmichael, Phyllis Doucette, Joanne Enos, Gwendolyn Fisher, Texann Hancock, Kenneth Lyons, Peter McMahon and Robert Morse.

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Alice Murphy	82.7
Virginia Saya	81.8

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